

CHINESE WIN BACK PORT OF FOOCHOW

OKINAWA HILL
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BY NIPPONESEDEFENSE OF ISLAND
COSTS JAP ARMY
48,103 DEAD

BY LEIF ERICKSON
Guam, Sunday, May 20 (AP)—Elements of the Sixth Marine Division lost Sugar Loaf Hill, important promontory overlooking Naha, capital city of Okinawa, but recaptured it this morning.

"The Japanese have sacrificed large numbers of troops in defense of this key position before Naha," said Fleet Adm. Chester W. Nimitz in today's communiqué.

Elsewhere along the 10th U. S. Army's southern Okinawa front, the admiral said the troops "maintained heavy pressure on the enemy" through Friday.

Yesterday, the Japanese counter-attacked Maj. Gen. Lemuel C. Shepherd, Jr.'s Sixth Division marines near Takamotji village, northeast of Naha, but were repulsed.

The Japanese fanatical defense of Okinawa cost them 48,103 killed through Thursday.

Nimitz disclosed these American casualty figures "since March 18" for the Ryukyus and associated operations:

Killed and Missing	Wounded	
Army to May 18	3,093	12,078
Marines to May 18	1,239	6,180
Fleet to May 18	3,978	3,958
Totals	8,310	22,216

This was the first time Nimitz had reported casualties of all services jointly for the Ryukyus campaign and associated strikes on Japan.

American artillery wrought heavy slaughter in a Nipponese column of 1,800 reinforcements intended to help shake loose the grip of the U. S. Sixth Marine Division on Sugar Loaf Hill overlooking Naha.

Leathernecks of the Sixth Division held their bridgehead on the Asato river in Naha, capital of Okinawa and west coast port, but confined their activities within the main part of the ruined city to patrol activities, front reports said.

The Japanese attempt to retake Conical Hill on the front's east flank was turned back by the U. S. 10th Army's 96th Infantry Division.

Bogus Red Stamps
Listed As Factor
In Meat Shortage

Detroit, May 19 (AP)—The Office of Price Administration's "secret service," its ration currency protection service, said the illegal business in phony red stamps "is bigger than the gasoline stamp market."

A supervisor for Michigan, asking that his name be withheld, said today that counterfeit red stamps are a "considerable factor" in the current meat shortage.

In support of this statement, he exhibited a sheet of counterfeit stamps, of a type now being circulated, which represented more than 3,000 points, or more than enough to buy half an average-sized beef carcass.

The supervisor said the gangs peddling counterfeit red stamps are the same as those who circulated counterfeit gasoline coupons, and use much the same methods. The national "take" of the peddlers of such stamps, he said, runs into millions of dollars.

More than 10,000 bogus red stamps from the Detroit district already have turned up at OPA's verification center in Cleveland, and seven retailers have been cited for suspension hearings.

Weather

(Reported by U. S. Weather Bureau)

LOWER MICHIGAN: Sunday partly cloudy. Warmer except near Lake Huron.

UPPER MICHIGAN: Sunday cloudy and warmer except near Lake Michigan. Showers in extreme west portion. Fresh winds southerly.

ESCANABA	High	Low
Temperatures—High Yesterday	53	37
Alpena	60	Los Angeles 68
Battle Creek	60	Marquette 48
Bismarck	62	Miami 84
Brownsville	62	Milwaukee 52
Buffalo	50	Minneapolis 64
Chicago	59	New Orleans 78
Cincinnati	54	New York 74
Cleveland	47	Omaha 62
Denver	82	Phoenix 96
Detroit	51	Pittsburgh 58
Duluth	52	St. Louis 65
Grand Rapids	64	St. Paul 60
Houghton	52	San Francisco 60
Jacksonville	82	Traverse City 57
Lansing	58	Washington 77



WEREWOLF CAUGHT—Unshaven and sullen, Dr. Robert Ley, 55-year-old Nazi chieftain and former Minister of Labor in the Hitler regime, is seen after his capture at his mountain retreat near Berchtesgaden. Ley is credited with being the instigator of the werewolf, Nazi underground movement. (NEA from Signal Corps Radioteletype.)

RUSSIA OFFERS
DEFENSE PLANProposals For Regional
Peace Insurance Near
Compromise

BY DOUGLAS B. CORNELL
San Francisco, May 19 (AP)—Russia submitted to the big five foreign ministers today the draft of a proposal accepting the principle of self defense action in coordinating regional groups of nations under a world peace-keeping organization.

Differing from an American-sponsored amendment in language, the Soviet proposal was reported to recognize the principle that individual countries or a group of nations have the inherent right to act immediately in self defense if the security council of a world league fails to preserve peace.

There seemed, at first appraisal, little if any difference in the substance of the Russian proposition and the American-sponsored proposal which has been accepted by Latin American nations during proceedings of the United Nations conference.

The Russian draft was said to follow rather closely in phraseology an amendment submitted previously by the French. There was speculation that the Soviets had approximated the French language in an effort to help solidify relations between those two countries.

The Soviet proposal, which was said to raise no objection to the use of the phrase collective defense, was given brief study by the big five today. It goes before the American delegation for additional consideration tomorrow noon.

The Americans hope then to compose differences in language and have a compromise proposition ready for submission when the big five meets later in the day.

John L. Lewis And
Mine Operators
Agree On Contract

Washington, May 19 (AP)—John L. Lewis and anthracite operators agreed to a contract today, subject to government approval, increasing pay of hard coal miners \$1.37½ a day.

Lewis and his scale committee, which already had approved unanimously the terms of the new contract, sent word out to end the 19 day strike which had halted production in Pennsylvania's anthracite fields, and resume work on Monday.

Lewis expressed the hope that "all mine workers will return to work in full force Monday morning."

Complete terms of the new agreement were withheld by the negotiating committees until they could be approved by the 72,000 Pennsylvania anthracite workers, in a referendum.

Churches Defend
Women Barmaids

Detroit, May 19 (AP)—The Detroit Council of Churches today defended the right of women to serve as bartenders but added it did not approve of women in taverns—either behind bars or in front of them.

The council's statement, issued by T. T. Brumbaugh, its executive secretary, stemmed from an attempt by the Bartenders Union to prevent women from invading their profession. A recently enacted state law provides that only wives and daughters of proprietors of bars may serve behind the bar.

Brumbaugh said a union representative had asked the moral support of the churches "in an effort to keep women out of this dirty business."

Marshal Tito Tries
To Snatch Italian
Seaport Of Trieste

BY ED L. CAMPBELL
Associated Press Staff Writer

Yugoslavia's uncompromising demand for the right to occupy disputed Italian and Austrian territory along the northern Adriatic coast put a heavy strain last (Saturday) night on relations between the Allied military command and Marshal Tito's partisan army.

While this territorial problem gathered steam in the south, Marshal Stalin made his first public statement at Moscow on the Polish political issue, flatly rejecting contentions that the recent arrest of 16 Polish leaders had any bearing on the reconstruction of the Polish provisional government.

His declaration gave unswerving support to the often-stated Soviet position that the present Warsaw regime must be the "basic core" for Polish government reorganization.

Allied occupation forces inside Germany, pressing their manhunt for Nazi leaders, bagged Dr. Alfred Rosenberg, Hitler's ideological leader, in a Flensburg hospital. His capture came as diplomatic quarters suggested that the pressing problem of who is going to try such big-shot war criminals might speed a meeting of Stalin, Prime Minister Churchill and President Truman.

Russia has so far refused to join the 16-nations war crimes commission which is scheduled to meet May 31 to discuss procedure to methods.

But the Allied-Yugoslavia row over the port city of Trieste and part of the province of Venezia Giulia seemed a potential tinderbox. Field Marshal Sir Harold Alexander, Allied commander in the Mediterranean theater, in a broadcast to his land, sea and air forces, asserted Tito apparently intended to resort to force in a manner "all too reminiscent of Hitler, Mussolini and Japan."

Tito, in a reply broadcast from Belgrade, said the Yugoslav army had equal right to remain in territory it had liberated and that the presence of Allied troops in the disputed return of Allied prisoners, inclusion of the peace conference as to whom these territories belong.

Alexander told his forces he had failed to reach an agreement with Tito, that the matter had been referred back to the governments of the United States and Britain, and that the Soviet government—silent so far on the issue—was being kept informed of developments.

Also in the northern Italian zone, Paris quarters said, the States and Britain were exerting pressure on France to withdraw from Italian soil. French sources indicated a new territorial problem was in the making.

Supreme headquarters disclosed that the U. S. 15th Army's occupation zone in Germany now includes everything between the Rhine and the German border from Wesel in the north to Karlsruhe in the south and a small triangle east of the Rhine from Coblenz north to Dortmund.

Satisfactory progress was reported by Allied supreme headquarters on negotiations for the return to Allied prisoners, including an estimated 40,000 Americans, liberated in Russian war zones. But no comment was given on the problem of what the Allies were going to do with some 3,000,000 German prisoners on their hands. The French want 1,000,000 of these for reconstruction work.

WATERS REcede
AT MT. CLEMENS

Some Residents Of Flats
District Able To Go
Back To Homes

(By The Associated Press)
Some of 500 residents of the Kibbie Flats district near Mt. Clemens who fled their homes Thursday as the Clinton River reached a crest of nine and a half feet began returning Saturday.

Coast Guard crews on duty in the area since Wednesday removed their equipment after the flood waters had dropped four feet by noon and were still ebbing.

Weather bureau officials predicted fair weather for the rest of the weekend and said there was no more danger of flood. However some lowland areas, including some side roads near the Rouge River, remained inundated Saturday.

In Mt. Clemens some 100 of the Kibbie Flats refugees spent Friday night at Turner church. Highways and basements of many homes were flooded, and health officials warned residents against drinking water without first boiling it.

Danger of damage from the Fox Creek in Detroit diminished Saturday as the waters receded. A temporary sandbag levee was thrown up along the creek's banks earlier to prevent flooding.

Detroit weather bureau figures showed 5.33 inches of rain had fallen during the first 18 days of May. The normal fall is 1.8 inches.

CAPTIVE U-BOAT
CHIEF SUICIDES

German Commander Cuts
Wrist After Craft
Surrenders In U. S.

Boston, May 19 (AP)—A German submarine commander committed suicide in a Boston prison today shortly before a Luftwaffe general and crewmen of another surrendered submarine, the huge U-234, walked ashore at Portsmouth, N. H., navy yard.

Captain-Lieutenant Fritz Steinhoff, commander of the U-783, which was brought to Portsmouth four days ago, punctured a wrist artery with part of an eyeglass he smashed in his Charles Street jail cell, the First Service Command said.

Steinhoff and other members of his crew were lodged in the civilian jail temporarily pending transfer to a prisoner of war camp.

The 1900-ton U-234, largest of the U-boats brought to U. S. ports, tied up at Portsmouth to disgorge Luftwaffe generalleutnant Ulrich Kessler, several Luftwaffe lesser lights, three unidentified men in civilian clothes, eight submarine officers and a crew of 49 men.

The bodies of two Japanese, which were reported by the Navy aboard the undersea boat when it radioed its surrender from a point 500 miles off Greenland while enroute to Japan, were not aboard. Navy officers said they apparently had been buried at sea after committing hari-kari.

The army disclosed few details of Steinhoff's death. A German doctor, a member of Steinhoff's crew, gave first aid treatment immediately after the commander was discovered by a military guard diving in his blood-spattered cell. A U. S. army physician quickly ordered his transfer to Massachusetts General Hospital. He died soon after his arrival there.

Normandy Soldiers
Arrive In Hawaii

Honolulu, May 19 (AP)—An amphibious assault signal company, veterans of D-Day at Normandy and the first complete military unit to be transferred from the European to the Pacific theater, has arrived in Hawaii.

GREAT TOKYO
AREAS RAZED
IN B-29 RAIDDEMOLITION BOMBS
PLOW UP VITAL
FACTORIES

Guam, Sunday, May 20 (AP)—Superfortress squadrons smashed industrial targets at Tokyo and Hamamatsu, Japan's big prewar textile center, yesterday with demolition bombs.

American headquarters said the raids were made by more than 400 B-29s. Radio Tokyo contributed an unconfirmed report that 30 more Superfortresses visited Japan's strategic waters, sowing mines in Wakasada Bay, Honshu Island, and in Bungo Strait at the southwestern gate of the Inland Sea.

The Tokyo and Hamamatsu raids plowed up more vital war areas, adding to the 59.58 square miles of devastation spread by Marianas-based B-29s since last November in half a dozen of Nippon's largest cities.

A report by Maj. Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, commander of the 21st Bomber command, said the bombed-out districts included 17 square miles in Tokyo and 11.3 square miles of Nagoya, Nippon's third largest city.

Hit During Daylight
Twenty-first Bomber command headquarters in Guam reported that some 300 of the big planes unloaded 2,000 tons of demolition bombs in their heaviest strike yet against the Hamamatsu industrial area, about 60 miles south-east of war-battered Nagoya. Hamamatsu, on Honshu Island's coast, was hammered around the noon hour. Fighter planes escorted the bombers.

The Tokyo attack was reported by the 20th Air Force at Washington. It said Superfortresses, probably upwards of 150, bombed the Japanese capital during daylight.

Demolition bombs were used in both raids in contrast to the two heavy incendiary strikes against Nagoya, great aircraft production center, earlier this week. In the Nagoya attacks, involving some 500 Superfortresses each time, the Yank bombardiers unloaded more than 2,200,000 six-pound fire bombs.

Before the war the city of Hamamatsu, with a population of approximately 166,000, was a textile manufacturing center. After hostilities opened, the city's industries were converted to war production, such as plane propellers. The city has four airfields, military bases, and is a railroad center.

BY FRED HAMPSON
Manila, Sunday, May 20 (AP)—American 43rd Division troops

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ESCAPER COMES BACK
Lansing, Kas., May 19 (AP)—William Latrasse, 63-year-old convicted murderer and train robber who escaped over the walls of the Kansas State penitentiary three days ago, returned voluntarily to the prison today.

"I'm too old, it's not worth it," the life-terminer told Deputy Warden Charles E. Edmonson.

Rhine Occupation Zone
Laid Out For 15th Army

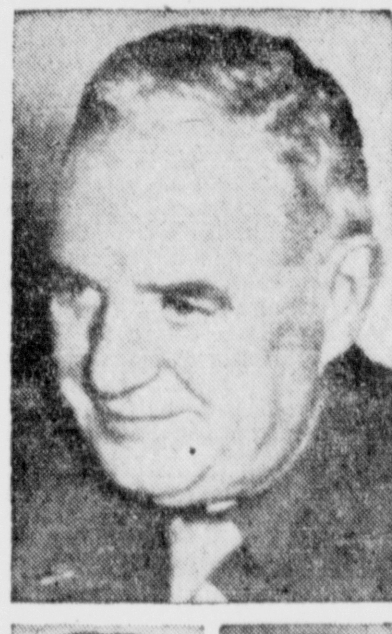
BY AUSTIN BEALMEAR
Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Force, Paris, May 19 (AP)—Supreme headquarters disclosed for the first time today that the U. S. 15th Army's zone of occupation includes everything between the Rhine and the German border from Wesel in the north to Karlsruhe in the south, and a small triangle east of the Rhine from Coblenz north to Dortmund.

In the final occupation, however, much of the present zone is expected to be taken over by the French and British.

The 15th zone is governing approximately 14,000 square miles, including the rich Saar basin, the Rhine valley and the western half of the industrial Ruhr. Aachen, Bonn, Cologne, Trier, Saarbrücken and Duesseldorf are under its jurisdiction.

Under the command of Lt. Gen. Leonard T. Gerow the 15th Army controls an area about eight times as large as the district supervised by the Americans after the first World War. According to best available estimates 300,000 to 400,000 U. S. troops will make up the final American occupying force.

While military governors have no definite information on the present civilian population of the area assigned to the 15th, in pre-war years approximately 11,000,000 persons lived in the region.



Hitler Killed Under Orders, Shadow Says

BY HOWARD COWAN
Berchtesgaden, Germany, May 19 (AP)—The \$5,000-a-year short-hand expert who shadowed Adolf Hitler with a notebook from 1942 until a few days before the fuhrer was reported dead, said today it was likely the German leader was killed by an SS colonel specifically assigned to the task—by Hitler's knowledge.

The statement was made by Gerhard Herrgessell, 36-year-old left Hitler in the caverns under the Berlin reichschancellery shortly before midnight April 22. It was supported by six colleagues who recorded the most intimate meetings between Hitler and his henchmen since 1939.

The triggerman was identified as a colonel Guenschel, SS adjutant in charge of the underground chancellery in its last hours. His assignment, Herrgessell said, was to kill Hitler, make certain his body was disposed of in such a manner the Russians did not find it—then turn his gun on himself.

"Hitler was never out of Guenschel's sight those last few days," Herrgessell said. "He acted as his personal aide, taking telephone messages and remaining at his elbow. Hitler wanted to make certain he died instantly. He said he did not want to be wounded. He did not want to be captured by the Russians nor did he want his corpse to fall into their hands."

Ludwig Krieger Heinz Buchnoll, Karl Thott, Dr. Kurt Peschel, Dr. Ewald Reymnitz and Hans Helling—they were present at Hitler's last birthday conference, supported Herrgessell's report. They said they heard the plans discussed and it was common knowledge among Field Marshal Wilhelm Keitel, Col. Gen. Gustav Jodl, Martin Bormann, Paul Joseph Goebbels and others with the fuhrer at the end.

CIVILIAN GOODS
BANS REMOVED

Manufacture of 530,000
New Refrigerators Is
Permitted This Year

Washington, May 19 (AP)—The War Production Board tonight announced it will permit the manufacture of 530,000 new, popularly priced household refrigerators this year.

Production of the gas and electric machines may start July 1, after a three-year shutdown, WPB said, but the refrigerators may not reach the public until early next year.

WPB will provide materials for production at about one-third the pre-war rate—265,000 machines each in the third and fourth quarters of 1945—but the early output will be added to the country's stockpile reserved for hospitals, blood banks and other essential uses.

Actual amendment of the refrigerator regulation has not yet occurred, although WPB invited manufacturers to apply before July 1 for priority aid if they wish to start peacetime production in the July-September quarter.

The decision is the first step toward reconversion of an industry which hit an annual peak of \$280,000,000 in factory sales in 1941 and expects to expand to \$370,000,000-a-year volume after the war.

Removing another restraint from civilian goods manufacture, WPB also revoked its ban against production of electric floor lamps and table lamps for civilians. Manufacturers will have access to an uncontrolled supply of steel, copper and aluminum after July 1. Before then, they may use idle and surplus materials.

Home Trip Speeded
For Mother-To-Be
Shopping In Canada

Windsor, Ont., May 19 (AP)—Constable Eddie McFarland, watching a long line of Detroit shoppers leaving Canada with purchases of unrationed meat, observed a woman who appeared faint.

Asked if she needed help, the woman replied, "I'll all right. But I'd sure appreciate it if you got me out of this line. I'm pregnant and I've been standing here so long I'm afraid I'm going to have a Canadian citizen in the family."

She got a priority on the tunnel bus.

Fort Sheridan Gives
Discharges To 1,200

Fort Sheridan, Ill., May 19 (AP)—Approximately 1,200 soldiers were discharged here during the first eight days of separation under the adjusted service rating point system, with army and civilian personnel operating on a 24-hour a day schedule. Col. George H. Cushman, post commander, announced today.

The total was 923 enlisted men and nine enlisted WACS as of last night. Most of those discharged here are Illinois, Wisconsin and Michigan men.

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Shadow SaysCOASTAL CITY
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FROM NIPPON

BY SPENCER MOOSA
Chungking, May 19 (AP)—The Chinese high command announced tonight that Chinese assault forces had recaptured the great east coast city of Fochow, freeing the first of China's important coastal treaty ports from Japanese rule.

It was the second time in four years that the Chinese had won back the strategic port, 125 miles northwest of the Japanese island of Formosa. The former capital of Fukien province had been held by the Japanese since Oct., 1944, and previously was enemy-occupied for five months in 1941.

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The Chinese communiqué said that Chinese forces, which were driven out of the city Tuesday night after a brief penetration of the central city area, received reinforcements on Wednesday and launched an attack against the city Thursday morning. By evening, the Chinese had beaten back the Japanese garrison and broken into the town, completing its occupation by 5 a. m. Friday.

Chinese quarters estimated the Japanese had about 1,000 troops inside the city. These forces were pursued eastward nine miles along the north bank of the Min River to the outskirts of the small Min estuary port of Mamoi.

Chinese informants here said that the Japanese already had withdrawn or were in the process of giving up the entire coastal region around Fochow, once famous for its tea and lacquer trade. Indications were that the Japanese were taking off in small ships, slipping northward up the coast by night toward Shanghai.

Some quarters foresaw the possibility of a Japanese withdrawal from all southeast Asia to positions north of the Yellow River with the enemy's withdrawal from Burma to Thailand as the first step.

Good Omen Seen
In Chungking, it was assumed that the Japanese flag would never again fly over Fochow, "Fochow" means "happy region," and observers took its recapture as a happy augury of events to come.

Meanwhile in Hunan province, low-flying P-51 Mustang fighter-bombers of the U. S. 14th air force joined Chinese forces pursuing retreating enemy forces toward the Japanese supply base of Shaoyang ("Paoching") on the roads to the great communications city of Henkang.

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ADRIAN MOTHER
OF THREE SLAIN

Woman Hit With Bottle
And Choked; Caller
Admits Jealousy

Adrian, Mich., May 19 (AP)—Mrs. Nellie Dehn Fritz, 24-year-old waitress and mother of three small children, was slain tonight in her two-room apartment.

John R. Zeigler, assistant prosecutor, who said that Kenneth Harrison Jenkins, 23, had confessed slaying the woman, reported that she was struck over the head with a wine bottle and milk bottle and then was strangled. Zeigler said he would authorize a warrant charging first degree murder.

Jenkins, who is married and the father of two children, walked into the county jail, Sheriff Elmer M. Bringham said, confessed he killed the woman, a divorcee, and said he wanted to give himself up. He is a foreman at the Hurd Lock Manufacturing company.

Zeigler said the motive for the slaying was jealousy.

Union Men Called
To Explain Chicago
Truck Driver Strike

Washington, May 19 (AP)—The War Labor Board today ordered union officials to appear at a hearing tomorrow to show cause why a strike of Chicago truck drivers has not been ended.

The work stoppage is "seriously interfering with vital war transportation," the WLB said. Telegrams, signed by WLB Acting Chairman Lloyd K. Garrison, were sent to the presidents and other officials of the Chicago Truck Drivers Union, Local 805, (Ind.) and the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, (AFL) both of Chicago, ordering them to appear at the hearing here at 11 a. m. (EWT).

Earlier, Garrison denied a request by the Chicago Truck Drivers Union for reconsideration of a previous order while a strike was in progress.

Food For Soldier
Costs \$226 A Year

Washington, May 19 (AP)—It now costs the quartermaster corps \$533.88 to equip and maintain a soldier in the United States during his first year in the army, the War Department reported today.

This figure, which does not include cost of weapons, ammunition, transportation, shelter, pay and similar expenses, is nearly 15 per cent higher than the cost of \$465.06 in 1944.

Biggest item in costs is food, \$226.30. Clothing totals \$212; individual equipment \$63.93; and barrack equipment \$31.65.

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Pvt. Matt Saari Dies In France

Trombley Soldier, Held In Prison Camp 3 Months, Succumbs

Pvt. Matt Saari, 31, who was taken prisoner by the Germans in Luxembourg last Dec. 18 and held in a German prison camp until he was liberated by American forces April 2, died in Rouen, France, April 28 from the effects of his incarceration. The war department has informed his father, Pvt. Saari, Sr., of Trombley, Pvt. Saari died of shock, circulatory collapse, with probable cardiac dilation, the telegram to Mr. Saari disclosed. He had lost more than 30 pounds in weight during the three and one-half months that he was held in the German prison camp.

He was born March 31, 1914, in Rock and attended the Rock schools. He was employed as woodworker before his induction in the army Nov. 11, 1942.

Went Overseas Last August Pvt. Saari received his basic training at Fort Riley, Kans., after which he participated in desert maneuvers in California. Later he was stationed at Camp Polk, La., where he participated in further maneuvers in Tennessee.

He traveled to England on the Queen Mary, embarking Aug. 1, 1944, and then was transferred to France and finally to Luxembourg, where he was captured Dec. 18 when Marshal von Rundstedt launched the big counter-offensive that evicted the so-called Belgium bulge.

The only communication received from Pvt. Saari after his capture was a letter written to his sister in which he reported that he had lost 30 pounds in weight. The war department has informed Mr. Saari that a unit commander or chaplain will send him a letter containing further information concerning the death of his son.

Besides his father, he is survived by four sisters, Mrs. Harry Worth, Mary Joar, of Trombley; Mrs. Eileen Millour, of Trombley; Mrs. Dona Demeuse, Perkins; Mrs. Helen Geron, Martha, Brooklyn; and two brothers, Teivo Saari, Rock, and Cpl. Oscar Saari, somewhere in Germany.

Michigan Citizens Paid \$103,500,000 In Life Insurance

Every day in 1944 life insurance policy holders and beneficiaries in Michigan were paid \$282,784 or a total of \$103,500,000 for the year and \$19.08 for every man, woman and child, according to a special compilation released today by the National Underwriter, weekly insurance newspaper. Michigan ranked 8th in life insurance payments among all states.

Detroit Leads Cities Detroit led Michigan cities in life insurance payments in 1944 with \$43,750,000 compared to \$41,860,000 in 1943. Detroit ranked 5th among all cities in the country. Grand Rapids was second in payments with \$7,492,000 in 1944 and \$7,278,000 in 1943. Flint came third with \$5,287,000 followed by Lansing with \$3,880,000; Pontiac, \$2,350,000; Jackson, \$2,166,000; Dearborn, \$1,764,000; Muskegon, \$1,650,000; Bay City, \$1,410,000; Grosse Pointe, \$1,250,000; Battle Creek, \$1,125,000; Ann Arbor, \$870,000; Port Huron, \$564,000; Birmingham, \$495,000; Holland, \$398,000; Royal Oak, \$344,000 and Grand Haven \$315,000.

Payments on Prominent People Among prominent people in Michigan maturing life insurance policies last year through death or disability were: Harlow Amsbury, contractor, Dr. Herman Fraser, Martin Galvin, retired; Etta Gordon, retired; Astor Jacobson, comptroller, Francis Lamb executive, Lester Baine, sales manager; James Larrowe, executive, William McLachlan, Albert Marsh, president, Hoskins Mfg. Co., Thos. Opie, executive, Huffy Sklar, advertising; John Willis, Jr., executive, all of Detroit. Leon Quillette, executive General Motors Institute, Flint; Dr. Stuart DeWitt, Hemming Nygren, manufacturer, Grand Haven; Walter Clark, Ralph Eikenhout, executive, Adrian Heyboer, president Holland-American Wafer Co., Joseph Hummel, C. P. A., all of Grand Rapids; Samuel Camp, manufacturer, Jackson, Neil Bass grain jobber, Merton Carrier, president, Federal Drop Forge Co., Lansing, Oliver Beaudette, Pontiac; Frank Hall, Rochester; George Campbell, industrial engineer and Simon Frankel, financier, St. Joseph.

A partial list of the claims paid in Escanaba in 1944 included the following names: Dr. Harry Long, Albert Miller, Thomas Shanahan, Clement Schwartz, George Stolk and Paul Wesivalo.

UNITED STATES TREASURY
WAR FINANCE COMMITTEE

Know An Adult By These Presents:

This is to certify that _____
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and is entitled to receive _____
in the event of his death.

This Bond presented by: _____
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Port Huron Leagues Seek To Oust Mayor And Commissioners

Port Huron, Mich., May 19. (P)—Members of the Port Huron League of Women Voters and the Citizens League, which were instrumental in instigating the city manager form of government four years ago, have begun a movement to recall Mayor Harry A. Gillow and three city commissioners.

The two organizations, however, have not taken any official action. The four, including Commissioners Carl E. Muir, T. Nelson Tobias, and Charles D. Rettie, all voted Thursday to accept the resignation of City Manager Leonard G. Howell and named John F. Cassin as his successor.

Tears From Home By Special Request

Santa Barbara, Calif.—(P)—Sgt. Oscar Clement of Eugene, Ore., in a radio contact from Italy with an NBC program originating in the United States, said there was one thing he wanted to hear: he would like to hear an American girl cry. Helen Forest, blues singer on Dick Haymes' program, complied.

It was not until 1927 that manufacturers of aircraft engines began to take an active interest in fuel pumps.

not hoard shells for next season, things will not be so bad. Last year there was an average of about two boxes per hunter. This year we might have four boxes each, with an outside chance of five or six boxes if the production goes along the lines of the figures given above.

It is hoped that those deer hunters who have odd sized caliber rifles will also be taken care of to a limited extent, while the 30-30, 300 and 30-06 ammunition is expected to be fairly plentiful.

The first half of production may come along by August 15, with the latter half due about Oct. 15 to 30. All we can do is to keep our fingers crossed, for we have no real guarantee that delivery is sure.

GREAT TOKYO AREAS RAZED IN B-29 RAID

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and Filipino guerrillas drew tighter a mountain trap on thousands of Japanese in the Sierra Madre east of Manila today after capturing Ipo dam, source of one-third of the city's water supply.

Officers reported the trap was closed Thursday when the doughboys and Filipinos secured the vital dam intact. The Japanese still held part of the aqueduct from the dam to Manila.

The encircled Japanese, whose number was estimated only as thousands, are remnants of the division which once manned the now shattered Simbu line.

Farther south in rugged country, the U. S. 38th Division seized high ground 3,500 yards northwest of Mount Bantang in an drive to secure Wawa dam, another Manila water system unit.

On Mindanao island, the 24th Division continued pressure against Japanese north of the Talamo river in the Davao river area. The immediate objective was the old Japanese navy airfield at Sasa.

The 31st Division moved up the central highway of Mindanao towards Malaybalay, capital of Bukidnon province, after capturing Valencia and two adjacent airfields.

Doughboys of the 40th and Americal Divisions were closing in from the north and were only 40 miles from a junction with the 31st.

The invasion of Tarakan island, off Borneo, by Australian and Dutch troops of Gen. Douglas MacArthur's command was brought virtually to an end with the occupation of the east coast.

Capture of Ipo dam was accomplished with the aid of powerful searchlights, which enabled U. S. artillery to keep up its pounding of Japanese positions throughout the night. The illumination also put a stop to the Japanese infiltrations which in at least once instance reached the outskirts of Manila itself.

With The AEF

—Kenneth L. Dixon—

In Occupied Germany (P)—Back home in Lorain, Ohio, Cpl. Raymond J. Wick was just another state highway patrolman. Today, he is known as "The Chief" by some 7,000 German prisoners of war.

Wick runs the prison camp at Magdeburg and his prisoners include Wehrmacht staff officers, high ranking Nazi officials and 226 women members of the German army.

Every day the former speed cop holds inspection. Smartly polished German officers from generals down stand rigidly at attention and report on conditions in their sector of the camp. Then Wick checks personally.

"They are easy to control," said the 28-year-old 30th Division Corporal, "and when given facilities keep themselves and their quarters spic and span." The reason, at least partially, is because he demands and gets scrupulous obedience and cooperation from the Germans with whom discipline is a fetish.

That glorification of discipline is how Wick came by his nickname. There is nothing in either the Nazi or Wehrmacht book of rules covering being ordered around by a mere corporal. Furthermore they are accustomed to saying "sir" to anyone who has the power to give them orders. They did not want to say "sir" to Corporal Wick but he plainly had plenty of power.

So they compromised between their disciplinary training and their current situation by nicknaming Wick "The Chief" which is all right with the grinning Buckeye boy so long as they behave themselves.

One advantage to fighting on your native soil is that it leaves you close to home when the shooting stops. But for Sergeant Will of the Wehrmacht from Westphalia, it did not quite work. The German sergeant was the member of a panzer corps. When the 75th American Division closed around the Province of Westphalia, Will's colonel looked the situation over and said in effect "it's every man for himself."

Will was a simple soul and he decided to go home, which was only 30 miles away. But 30 miles is a long hike for a tanker. So Will filled up his Tiger tank with gasoline and drove it home. There, like a war-weary knight of old returning from battle, he doffed his helmet, kissed his wife and went to bed.

There a tough Yank sergeant

found him and suggested he arise. Will demurred sleepily. "The war is kaput," explained Will.

"Maybe, but you're not," said the unfeeling doughboy and marched Will off to a prisoner of war cage.

The 84th Division also is having certain prisoner of war problems these days and it is all the generals' fault.

Maj. Gen. A. R. Bolling, Washington, D. C., the commander, has captured himself a handful of prisoners several times during the last months but none presented quite the problem as the batch he picked up in the final days of the European war.

These were 25 of the finest looking specimens of enemy soldiers yet captured—25 shepherd dogs, all members of the Nazi K-9 corps.

A couple of the general's captives "understood English" so Bolling may keep them. The rest cannot be kept in P-W cages is a problem but probably they will be sent "to higher headquarters for questioning," the general said with a straight face.

However, he admitted it was quite likely that most members of the enemy K-9 Corps probably would "escape" their guards and wind up in the tents of dog-loving doughboys of his division.

After all, this non-fraternization business does not include dogs.

COASTAL CITY IS LIBERATED FROM NIPPON

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communication lines and railroads from the Yellow River to Kingmen, north of Tungting Lake in Hupeh province and Thunderbolt fighter-bombers hit a Japanese staging area at Taying, southeast of the Yellow River bend.

The Japanese air force again failed to put in an appearance.

Publicity Chief Appointed By GOP

Washington, May 19 (P)—Appointment of William C. Murphy, Jr., as publicity director of the Republican national committee was announced today by Chairman Herbert Brownell, Jr. Murphy has been chief of the Washington bureau of the Philadelphia Inquirer since 1937.

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7:30 United Press News (Monday thru Saturday)
8:00 World News Roundup (NBC)
10:30 News Summary (NBC)
12:00 Voice of the Dairy Farmer (NBC)
12:15 Noon News—United Press (Sunday thru Saturday)
12:30 Chicago Round Table (NBC)
1:00 The Ford Show (NBC)
1:30 Westinghouse Program (NBC)
2:30 Army Hour (NBC)
4:00 General Motors Symphony (NBC)
5:30 Catholic Hour (NBC)
5:30 Lutheran Hour (Wolve)
6:00 Jack Benny (NBC)
6:30 Fitch Bandwagon (NBC)
10:00 Don Elder, News (NBC) (Sunday thru Saturday)

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7:45 Purina Checkboard Fun Fest (Monday, Wednesday, Friday)
8:00 Fun and Folly with Ed East and Polly (NBC) (Monday thru Saturday)
10:00 Mid-Morning Headlines (Monday thru Saturday)
11:30 Navy Band (NBC)
1:00 Iron Mountain Program (Monday thru Saturday)
5:00 News Summary (NBC) (Monday thru Saturday)
5:45 United Press News (Monday thru Saturday)
6:00 Chesterfield Supper Club (NBC) (Monday thru Friday)
6:15 News of the World—Vandercook (NBC) (Monday thru Friday)
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7:30 Voice of Firestone (NBC)
8:00 Telephone Hour (NBC)
10:15 Harkness of Washington (NBC) (Monday thru Saturday)

Tuesday
6:30 Dick Haymes (NBC)
8:30 Fibber McGee and Molly (NBC)
9:30 Raleigh Room with Hildegarde (NBC)

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Credited With 5 Billion Extra Board Feet Of Production

Production of more than 5,000,000 board feet of wood products for war and essential civilian needs that might not otherwise have been obtained was stimulated in the 20 months ended February 28, 1945 by assistance provided by the Timber Production War Project of the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, the Forest Service said.

The program, administered under the direction of the War Production Board, operates in 27 major lumber producing States east of the Great Plains.

Organized in the summer of 1943 as an emergency measure to halt the decline in small mill and logging operations and to meet the increased demand for forest products, this war-forestry program was directed toward finding and making available untapped timber stands, bringing owners and timber operators together and aiding and advising owners, loggers and mill operators concerning transportation, equipment, labor, markets and other problems.

Of the total production increase obtained by the project in the 20-month period, 5,120,672 board feet were traceable directly to instances wherein T. P. W. P. men gave actual contact assistance to owners, loggers or millers. In addition, it is estimated that the more general educational activities and services of the program, if their effect could be measured, would have caused a

substantial increase in the estimated volume of increased production.

Program activities and services include: labor recruiting drives; training of more than 16,000 prisoners of war in woods work; assistance in selective service deferment cases involving critically needed woods workers; training conferences and field sessions on the proper use and maintenance of power and bow saws; lumber grading clinics and field demonstrations in estimating, marking and pricing timber; advising on specifications and utilization of forest products; helping to obtain financial assistance and supplying information on government regulations; sponsoring or delivering radio talks; placing newspaper and advertising material and staging caravan shows.

In their search for saw timber, pulpwood and other forest products, project personnel have investigated woodlands around Federal prison farms, flood control and reservoir areas under both public and private ownership, estates and large tracts reserved for hunting and recreation purposes.

Cosmetics Factory Reopens In Hamburg

Hamburg, May 19 (P)—One of the first factories to reopen in Hamburg is producing cosmetics. A British major said German workers being employed in it were turning out lipstick and powder for former women slave laborers who had been employed in the factory making cosmetics for German women.

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Q. I have two sons in the Army and now my third son is about to go. I have received Family Allowance from the other two as the boy at home supported me. Will I be entitled to receive it now from this third boy, or must one of the other two apply for it, as they have been in service longer?

A. The boy now entering service may fill application for Family Allowance on your behalf. If he is your chief support he would file his application on that basis, and if the \$50 received was not sufficient for your living expenses one of the other two boys could file, claiming substantial support. The fact that they did not file before would not make you ineligible now.

Q. My son has recently married. He is in the service and has government insurance payable to me. He wants to change it over to his wife, but I don't feel that he should do this. Can he do it without my consent?

A. Yes, he can designate his wife as beneficiary for his insurance if he so desires. He does not have to have the consent of the person previously designated as beneficiary in order to make this change.

Q. What does the initial "S" stand for in the President's name? A. Actually the initial stands for nothing. His grandfathers were named Solomon Young and Anderson Shippe Truman. To offend neither, Mr. Truman's parents gave him the initial only.

Q. When did President Roosevelt warn the Axis that American Naval patrols would fire on sight?

A. In a speech broadcast to the American people and the world on September 11, 1941, the President warned Germany and Italy that from that date the United States Navy and its planes would fire on sight at Axis war vessels.

Q. Which occurred first, the German occupation of Norway or the evacuation of the British at Dunkerque?

A. No pain is actually associated with the mere act of growing. Healthy, vigorous children do not have "growing pains," but it is never wise to ignore or neglect a child's complaint about having pains in the limbs, especially

Hunting And Fishing

By Sid Gordon

SHELLS AND CARTRIDGES FOR FALL
While there is a prospect of more shells and cartridges for hunters this year, it is best not to raise one's hopes too high. The figures look good on paper but they are all governed by what the Japs will do during the next few months.

Here's what the government has authorized for production: Three hundred million shotgun shells, 18,000,000 center fire rifle cartridges, 2,000,000 pistol and rifle cartridges, 800,000,000 cartridges for 22 caliber rifles.

The hunter must remember that all pest-control ammunition is included in the figures given. This means that the hunter in the field will have to give way to the farmer and the rancher. When their wants are taken care of the remainder will be sold over the counter to the sportsmen.

All these figures can be upset by the war with Japan. Only a few of the ammunition makers are allowed to turn out these orders. If an unusual demand for ammunition for the army, the navy and the air service is made, then these few concerns will have to turn to war materials once more.

There are presumed to be some 13,000,000 hunters and 600,000,000 shells, shotgun shells, would just about take care of our ordinary and usual requirements. We are allowed 300,000,000 and if they are all manufactured, it will be much better than last year, at least.

Hunters are urged not to stock up heavily. If they will buy only what they need for this year,

when the child is not definite about the kind of pain. Growing children should have at least one annual check-up by the family physician, even if they seem to be growing normally. Incipient trouble can be checked in this way.

Q. How many calories per day does the average adult require? A. The average adult at rest needs about 1600 calories per day, 2500 for ordinary activity, and up to 6000 for very hard work.

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LOCK AT SAULT, ONT., HAS BREAK

Canadian Shipping Now Being Diverted To American Side

Canadian shipping is being diverted through the American locks of the St. Mary's canal while repairs are being made to the Canadian lock, at Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., which developed a natural breakage in the lock floor on Monday.

A crew of workmen is tearing out the old wooden floor, and it is expected it will take considerable time to make the repairs.

Construction on the single Canadian lock was started in 1888 and completed in 1895. The canal leading to the lock is one and one-half miles long, 150 feet wide and 23 feet deep. The lock itself is 900 feet long, 60 feet wide and 22 feet deep at high water stage.

Construction of a modern, larger lock at Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., was planned several years ago, but the project was halted by the war. The Canadian lock handled only a small percentage of the traffic through the Sault waterway, since most of the large Canadian-registered vessels have been using the four larger locks on the American side. In recent years, the Canadian lock was not handling boats of more than 18-foot draft.

Upper Peninsula War Casualties

ARMY DEAD—EUROPEAN

Ironwood—1st Lt. Arthur J. Munari, husband of Mrs. Regina Munari.

ARMY WOUNDED—PACIFIC

Brimley—Pvt. Arlo Hamel, husband of Mrs. Fern Hamel.

Atlantic Mine—Pvt. William H.

Koskela, husband of Mrs. Lillian Koskela; Sgt. George A. Kaiponen, son of Mrs. Margaret Kaiponen.

ARMY MISSING—EUROPEAN

Newberry—Sgt. Delbert W. Payne, husband of Mrs. Birdie Payne.

LIBERATED PRISONERS OF GERMANY

Stambaugh—Pfc. Stanley R. Hansen, son of Mrs. Margaret Hansen.

Escanaba—Sgt. Donald J.

Pfotenbauer, husband of Mrs. Marcella Pfotenbauer.

Munising—Pfc. Richard O. Seglund, son of Mrs. Edna Seglund.

Newberry

Ida Mae White was discharged from the Newberry Clinic Tuesday, May 15.

Mrs. Roy Foster of Strong's is receiving medical treatment at the

K. of C. Hold District Initiation Here Today

District initiation ceremonies will be held here today under the auspices of the Escanaba Council No. 640, Knights of Columbus. More than a hundred candidates from Escanaba, Gladstone, Manistiquette and Iron Mountain will be initiated, and the three degrees of the order will be exemplified at impressive rites.

Candidates and members will meet at the K. of C. clubrooms at 7 o'clock this morning to attend mass in a body at St. Ann's church.

Breakfast will be served at the clubrooms after the mass for candidates only. The candidates will remain at the clubhouse until 10 a. m. and march to St. Patrick's hall for the first degree.

Lunch will be served at noon for the candidates, visiting members and their wives.

Procession at Noon

All members and candidates are requested to assemble at the clubrooms at 12:45 o'clock noon. The group will march to St. Joseph's church, then north to Ludington, west to Twelfth street, and south to St. Patrick's hall. The procession will be preceded by the American Legion color guards, followed by the 4th Degree Knights of Columbus and others. Archie Wood is in charge of parade arrangements.

During the afternoon, visiting ladies will be entertained at the clubrooms by the Daughters of Isabella.

Degrees will be exemplified by officers from the following councils: First degree, Escanaba Council No. 640; second degree, Baraga Council, Iron Mountain; third degree, Calumet.

Banquet Program

John A. Lemmer, superintendent of the Escanaba public schools, will deliver the address at the banquet, which will be held at St. Joseph's hall at 6:30 p. m.

The banquet program will be as follows:

God Bless America—Assembly.

Invocation—Rev. Fr. Alphonse Wilberding, O.F.M., Pastor St. Joseph's Church.

Toastmaster—John J. Bartella, Past District Deputy.

Remarks—Jos. N. Lequia, Grand Knight, Escanaba Council No. 640.

Orpheus Choir—R. Paul Bowers, Director.

Remarks—Florian Vecellio, District Deputy, Knights of Columbus.

Vocal Solo—Earl Owens. Accompanied by Mrs. V. J. Lang.

Impressions of a candidate.

Stories—Robert C. Pryal.

Remarks—Rev. Fr. Matt LaVio-

Newberry Clinic.

Donald Cronk is receiving medical treatment at the Newberry Clinic.

Former Nadeau Man Dies Of Injuries When Hit By Auto

Iron Mountain—Frank Schober, 77, formerly of Nadeau, Mich., and recently living in a shack near Randville, died at 2:45 Friday morning in the General hospital from shock and injuries sustained at about 9:15 Thursday night when, walking west to east across Stephenson avenue, in the 200 block, he was struck by a car driven by the Rev. Wilbur Gibbs, assistant pastor of the Immaculate Conception church.

After questioning several witnesses Friday morning, John V. Zanardi, prosecutor, said he was convinced the accident was unavoidable, and that no inquest would be held.

The Rev. Fr. Gibbs, according to city police, was driving north on

Stephenson, just south of the Chapin pit, at about 20 miles an hour. There is no street light on the west side of Stephenson, in the 200 block. Suddenly, the priest said, he saw a form step into the path of his car. He was unable to turn out, he told police, because of several cars parked at the west curbing of Stephenson.

After the car struck the man, the driver pulled ahead a short distance, and stopped. Officers Trotter and Pipp were summoned, and an ambulance was called from the Buchanan-Ville-Tondin Funeral home, to remove the victim to General hospital. Examination of Dr. J. L. Brown revealed that Schober had sustained a compound fracture of the right leg, below the knee; a skull-fracture and severe shock.

Later, the Rev. Fr. Gibbs submitted a full report of the accident at the police station.

POLIO PARLEY WILL BE HELD

U. P. Conference Slated For Marquette On June 4

An Upper Peninsula conference on infantile paralysis will be held in Marquette on Monday, June 4, starting at 10 a. m. It was announced yesterday by J. P. McNamara, Negaunee, chairman of the Marquette county chapter of the national Infantile Paralysis Foundation. It will be attended by Donald M. B. Thurber, state chairman of the organization. Every county chapter chairman in the Peninsula has received an

invitation to attend and the state organization is urging that each chapter send at least one representative.

Dr. John L. Lavan, director of research for the National Foundation, will be here and his talk, "The Role of the Foundation in the Fight Against Infantile Paralysis and the Progress of Research," is expected to be one of the highlights.

Mr. Thurber will preside at the morning session. First speaker will be Miss Alice E. Snyder, superintendent of St. Luke's hospital who will discuss the role St. Luke's has played in fighting poliomyelitis. This will be followed by a tour of the hospital during which the visitors will see all the equipment used and a demonstration of some of the physical therapy employed.

Dr. M. Cooperstock, medical director of the Northern Michigan

Children's clinic; Dr. Eugene R. Elzinga, orthopedist at the clinic; Miss Elba L. Morse, superintendent of the clinic; Dr. Lavan and Miss Elaine Whitlaw, director of the women's division of the National Foundation, will be among the speakers at the second session.

There is no such thing as a Cheshire cat, except in legend and story.

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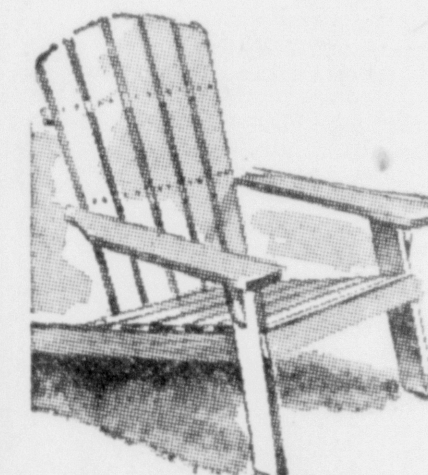
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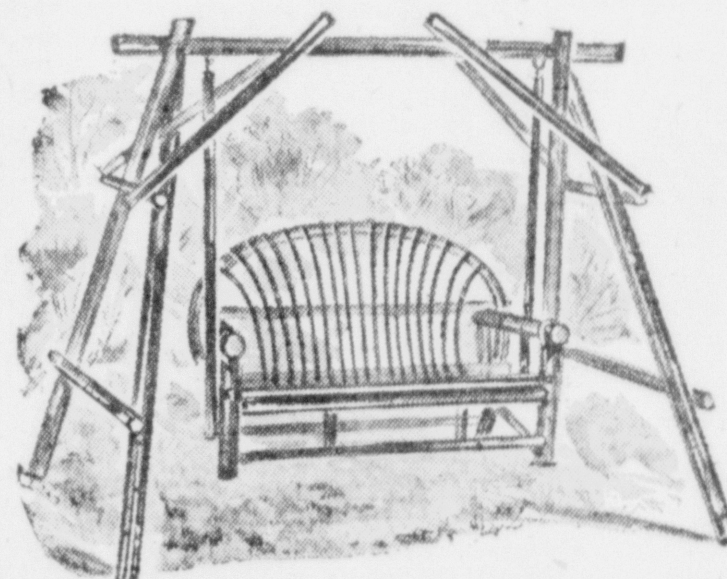
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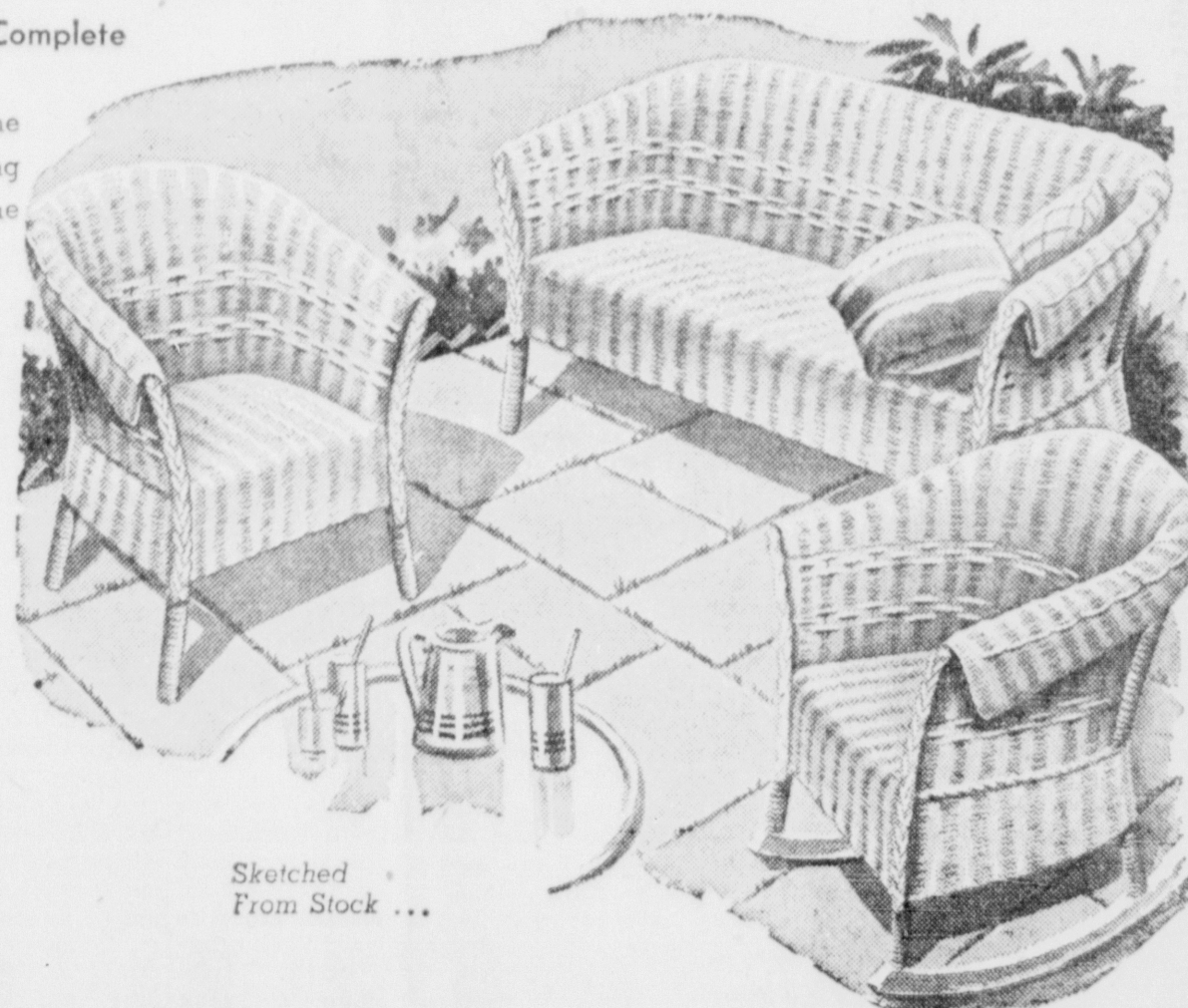
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Saga of the Franklin

THE heroic saga of the aircraft carrier Franklin, whose gallant crew fought against tremendous odds to save the ship and bring her home 12,000 miles under her own power after the carrier had been set afire by Japanese bombs, represents a naval feat of which every American can be justly proud.

Actually, however, the story of the Franklin is a drama of heroism that is typical of the entire American navy. Stories of great sacrifices and devotion to duty by American sailors are legend. The courage displayed by the fighting men of the Franklin and of the crews of the ships that came to her assistance in the crucial hours off Japan is the same brand of courage that is displayed every day by gallant sailors of the American fleet.

The Franklin suffered terrific losses—832 men dead and missing, in addition to 270 men wounded—but her survivors fought on, in total disregard of their own safety, and saved the ship. The Japs, who had written the Franklin off as a total loss, will one day find the mighty carrier exacting her full measure of retribution.

Maritime Day

GOVERNOR KELLY has issued a proclamation asking Michigan residents to join in the observance of National Maritime day in this state on Tuesday, May 22. Similar observances are to be held throughout the nation.

National Maritime day was created to commemorate an historic date in ocean transportation, for it was on May 22, 1819 that the S. S. Savannah, the first ship to use steam propulsion on an ocean voyage, left the United States for England. But as this year's observance day approaches we are more mindful of the great contribution that America's Merchant Marine has made to speed the winning of this war.

Two-thirds of the world's merchant fleet now flies the Stars and Stripes. The Axis never dreamed that the United States could raise our cargo tonnage from 11,000,000 deadweight tons to 45,000,000 in three years or train the men to sail this giant fleet. They never thought we could ship war materials at the rate of 8,000 tons an hour round the clock throughout the year. But it was done.

The Merchant Marine has participated in every invasion. It has suffered its share of the casualties of this war. It is delivering the goods.

Terror Weapons

THE Nazis cried, "Murder," at the aerial bombardment of their cities and their civilians stoned to death many of the Allied fliers shot down over Germany. These are the same Nazis who designed and produced V-1 and V-2, as well as the now revealed V-3, multiple long range artillery, for the express purpose of wiping London off the face of the map.

The diabolical weapons forged by the cruel brains of the Nazi scientists, designed solely as terror weapons, failed to accomplish their mission only because they were detected and defenses established in time.

Like their Japanese allies, the Germans were a tricky enemy, utterly ruthless, but they were even more dangerous than the Japs because they possessed scientists who visioned and produced some of the most potent terror weapons of all time. The Japs have not shown, up to this point, at least, the creative ingenuity of the Germans.

Shoes Are Scarce

THERE was a reason for the launching of a shoe conservation program in the schools of Delta and other counties recently. The facts are that there is a serious shortage of footwear in the country.

Civilians will have to get along this year with only 70 per cent of the pre-war supply of leather shoes, which means about 1 3/4 pairs of shoes per person as compared with 2 1/2 pairs before Pearl Harbor. The nation's factories are busy making five million pairs of shoes per month for the army and navy alone, about one third of the industry's output. Fighting men give their shoes heavy use.

Shortage of labor is one of the major production problems, but equally as serious is the scarcity of leather. Tanneries also have their troubles in getting help and hides.

Most critical shortage is in children's shoes. The youngsters go through a pair of shoes much quicker than the grown-ups, and any conservation program that will teach them to give their footwear better care will be helpful. When a child outgrows his shoes, however, no cobbler can help him out. He just has to get a larger pair. Shoe exchange projects can be helpful in the current emergency, although it promises only meagre relief in the children's shoe situation.

He's Going Home

Fritz Kuhn is going home. The former leader of the German-American Bund, who misused the privilege of free speech, to lambaste American institutions and glorify Hitler and Germany, has been ordered deported as an undesirable alien. It's a good bet he doesn't like it.

Kuhn came to this country from Germany in 1928, and was naturalized as a citizen six years later. But he was not a true American citizen. He was using his citizenship to make trouble, to stir up dissension among Americans and to further the cause of a foreign power.

Fortunately, the government found a way of cancelling his citizenship on the grounds that he obtained it by fraudulent means. He will now be going back to a defeated Germany, and he will have to go to work with the rest of the Germans who must soon start the arduous task of rebuilding their country, laid waste by the war started by Adolf Hitler. Fritz Kuhn will wish many times that he had become a good, American citizen.

Other Editorial Comments

EIGHTEEN-YEAR-OLDS (Washington Star)

In forbidding the use of eighteen-year-old soldiers in combat until they have received at least six months of training, the senate seems to have been influenced in no small degree by the practices adhered to in other countries. To say the least, that is a poor basis upon which to make our own determinations, for if we had followed the example of some of our allies we would have had no conscription for overseas service, and by this time we might well have lost the war.

The real question is whether the youngsters going into the army are receiving adequate training for their combat duties. Gen. Marshall says they are, and he has opposed any "restrictive" amendments to the draft law on the ground that they might lead to "disaster." On the other hand, there are those who say—and their arguments are persuasive—that there ought to be a minimum training period of six months for the eighteen-year-olds.

Fortunately, the war has reached the stage where debate on this point probably is largely academic. Gen. Marshall has said that as soon as the military situation permits, which may be in the "near future," the war department will stop sending men overseas before their nineteenth birthday. Presumably the collapse of German military resistance will be the occasion for the inauguration of this policy. In all probability it will come before the six-month requirement, if finally adopted, can affect the flow of replacements to the fronts. In that event the senate requirement, while it might complicate the army's administrative problems, could hardly have any serious adverse effect on the actual conduct of military operations.

Our Yanks sure have plenty of good points. Imagine them getting Hamburg!

Additional cigarets are promised but our dreams of more smokes likely will continue to be pipe dreams for some time.

The 7th War Loan Drive is off to a good start. A smashing finish means the same for Japan!

"Keep the young folks busy," advises a judge. When there's nothing they should do is when they do something they should not.

War Production officials say the 200,000 new autos expected in 1945 won't look like the 1942 cars. Some of the 1942s don't look like them, either.

Gracie Allen Says--

Well, lucky us. I understand the WPB says it's all right to manufacture juke boxes and pinball machine again. I've been waiting three years for a washing machine but I suppose I can put the clothes in the pinball machine just as well. Maybe if they don't come out clean the machine will light up and say "ult."

And what could be nicer than juke boxes in all the restaurants again? I'll tell you what can be nicer—a little food. I love Harry James's records as much as anyone but when I order "one meatball" I'd like it to arrive on a plate.

I'll bet my husband George will have something to say when he hears about this. I'm going to tell him just as soon as he comes back from the corner where he's playing the pinball machine.

Take My Word For It . . . Frank Colby

SUNDAY MISCELLANY

Hiawatha: My dictionary says "salt, saltier, saltiest." Sounds strange to me—M. A. S.

Answer: Your dictionary should also show "saltier, saltiest, saltiest," which is the customary comparison.

Racine: My husband insists he was taught to rhyme Danish with "mannish." How can I convince him he is mistaken?—Mrs. O. R. J.

Answer: Ask him to consult any dictionary. The only sanctioned pronunciation is: DAY-nish. Incidentally, "I was taught that . . ." proves nothing. One may have been incorrectly taught; or one may simply have a faulty memory. In illustration, consider the following question:

Awron: How can you keep on insisting that it is not incorrect to end a sentence with a preposition? I was taught that the end-of-sentence-preposition error was never seen in literature prior to 1800. It is simply a modern corruption.—A. H. T.

Answer: More superstition. Shakespeare wrote: "'Tis a naughty night to

World Events Analyzed

BY MARQUIS CHILDS

Washington—For many weeks the state department has been trying to obtain permission from the Russians for American newspaper men to go into the Balkans. The failure of these efforts thus far underscores the impenetrable wall which the Soviet Union has built around the areas in Eastern Europe occupied by the Russian troops.

It has been a struggle even to get diplomatic representatives into the closed capitals of Sofia, Bucharest and Budapest. Weeks of negotiation were necessary before the Russians finally granted permission to the United States to send small staffs into Bulgaria and Rumania.

—RUSSIANS REFUSED— After a long wait in Italy, a similar staff has finally been allowed to enter Hungary. Efforts of American army officers to visit Budapest after its fall were repeatedly balked. The Russian refusal was polite enough, but nevertheless it was a refusal.

The evidence is piling up that the Soviet Union intends to make the Balkans a sphere of influence in the narrowest meaning of that phrase. Regardless of decisions in the realm of theory at San Francisco, that is the fact.

Rumania offers the most striking instance thus far. The Russians first set up a provisional government of a moderate character headed by General Nicholas Radescu. But this did not last very long. Soon he was being violently denounced by the Communist press in the now familiar terms—Fascist and Saboteur. Next he was threatened with physical violence, and if he had not taken shelter in the British legation he would doubtless have been killed.

This brought strong protests from the foreign office in London and the state department in Washington. These protests went, of course, to Moscow as the author of the maneuver. No one was deceived into believing that it was Rumanian in origin.

—PROTESTS IGNORED— The Russians have ignored these protests. Radescu is still under the protection of the British, who are by now rather embarrassed by his presence.

On another important issue the Russians and the western Allies are at odds. The Russians have taken approximately 70,000 persons out of Rumania for forced labor. These were for the most part Rumanian citizens.

The state department has pointed out that no clause in the joint armistice terms signed by Britain, the U. S. and the Soviet Union authorized such action. Our representatives in Rumania have been able to find out very little about what has happened to these people.

The Rumanian government was required to furnish lists of persons of German descent. For the most part these were residents of Transylvania, which had been part of Hungary before the last war. Many of these families, of Saxon origin, had settled there as long ago as the 12th century.

The Russians requested the names of men between the ages of 17 and 45 and women between the ages of 20 and 40. Some women, nursing mothers among them, were exempted, but otherwise family ties were ignored.

It was up to the provisional government in Rumania to fill the quotas requested by the Russian military mission. These able-bodied men and women were needed, it was explained, for war work in Russia. Approximately 70,000 were turned over. On inquiry, our office in Bucharest was told that the men were being taken to work in the coal mines in the Donetz basin. What has happened to the women is apparently unknown.

—JOINED GERMAN ARMY— Of the 70,000, some had lost their Rumanian citizenship because, under German occupation of Rumania, they had enlisted in the German army to fight against Russia. In other words, they were enemies of the Soviet Union. But the proportion of these former soldiers is believed to be small, and none of the women would, of course, be in this category.

This is a moral issue of the first order. To approve or even to tolerate the indiscriminate use of slave labor is to go against the very base of our civilization: against the qualities that make us civilized. That was one of the crimes of the barbarous enemy we have just defeated.

To use convicted war criminals at hard labor is legitimate and proper. But indiscriminately to take men and women out of ancient communities, breaking up the family pattern, is something entirely different.

No wall around the Balkans, however high or however closely guarded, can keep that information from the rest of the world.

swim in"—King Lear. But two centuries earlier Chaucer wrote: "This were a wether (weather) for to sleepen (sleep) inne (in)."—Troilus and Criseyde. Moreover, the end-of-sentence-preposition is not uncommon in the Authorized Version (1611). See Genesis, 28:15: "I will not leave thee, until I have done that which I have spoken to thee of."

Geneva: One may scale a fish; but how, pray, is it possible to "scale" a wall?—E. D. P.

Answer: Scale (of a fish) is from Old French *escaler*, "hush, chip." Scale (verb, "to climb") is from the Latin *scala*, "a ladder or staircase." The identical spelling of the two scales is accidental.

For a free copy of pamphlet on FRENCH CONVERSATION, with all words pronounced in easy phonetics, send a stamped (3c), self-addressed envelope to Frank Colby, in care of this paper.

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The Knock-Out War Loan



Good Morning!

By The Bugler

THE BIG PICTURE — It is at this season of the year that in Delta, Schoolcraft, Alger, Menominee and other counties of the state school children are planting trees.

These plantings usually are made on "school forests" — land donated for this purpose by the conservation department.

Cities also have their program of reforestation, as witness

planting of thousands of conifers on an Escanaba's city forest west of town by Boy Scouts.

It is the old story of the generation today making amends in sweat and toil for the foolishness of the past generation. The forests of Michigan are nearly gone and wartime has brought a new threat with its higher prices that make even the small woodlot a profitable place to cut short stuff.

Basically underlying the forest and the farm, the lake and stream of Michigan is the land. And up on the land and its wise use lies the hope of the future. Another 100 years can give us a land suitable for the support of a "land of the free," or a barren waste which even the bravest pioneer would shun.

There is a booklet printed by Michigan State College and Michigan Conservation Department titled "The Land Nobody Wanted." That title referred to the Michigan of the past—but it could also describe the possible wastelands of our future.

WHY IT WON'T—This consideration of the "possible" is admittedly looking on the dark side of things. That it is unlikely we will regress in our policy toward the use of our land is becoming more definite each year. For by and large the people are aware of the need for wise land conservation programs, and are willing to cooperate.

One reason for this is the sound land use advisory system which has been established. In the majority of the counties of the state there are land use planning committees organized. These committees are composed of local residents familiar with local conditions, who have "grass roots" information on what lands in the county should be classified for certain uses—agriculture, forest, recreation, etc.

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10 Years Ago—1935

Washington — Pres. Roosevelt ranged monthly wages in the new 4 billion dollar relief program from \$19. to \$94., with a forty hour week.

Miss Flora B. Holt of this city was a guest recently at the Hotel Holley, New York City.

Nick Carr returned Sunday night from Lansing, where he attended the convention of the R. A. M. grand lodge. He also visited friends and relatives in Adrian.

Gladstone—Miss Opal Gamble arrived on Sunday from Detroit to spend two weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Gamble, Delta avenue.

James Christie, former Escanaba resident, and his dog "Buddy" entertained the South Haven Kiwanis club at a meeting recently.

20 Years Ago—1925

Marquette—Serious forest fires raging near here blocked the railroad line between Marquette and Negaunee.

A pretty ceremony was performed at St. Anne's church Monday when Miss Florence LaChapelle became the bride of Joseph Cleary.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hemes motored to Powers and other points along the line Tuesday on a business mission.

Mrs. Gust Brotherton, Miss Bessie Devine and Miss Eva Falk returned from a trip to Iron Mountain.

Manistique—Mrs. Nancy Thomas, Mrs. C. M. Cuthbert, Miss Martha Greene and Mrs. Fred Negent formed a party of Escanaba visitors who motored to Manistique this week.

ested in its use. The untouched wilderness of the Old Northwest was a vast storehouse of wealth populated only by a few Indians. Then came the whitemen, and by the Indians at ridiculously low cost the land became the property of the United States of America.

"Man is seldom inclined to hold dear what comes easily," Titus points out.

As settlement and development began the cost of the land sold was low and acquisition of the land by private owners was comparatively rapid, reaching their peak in 1837 when Michigan attained statehood.

"Most of Michigan that was sold in this period brought no more than \$1.25 an acre; twice that figure—charged for a few descriptions—was nearly a prohibitive price. Mineral lands generally went for \$5 an acre."

Federal and state land grants for schools, railroads, colleges, canals and other improvements brought about the disposition of 12 million acres, or a third of the area of the state.

OUT AND BACK—The era of private ownership and exploitation was under way. "The whole logging era was one of life at concert pitch."

"It was the forest regions, stripped of their timber stands, which posed the land problem that has made Michigan uneasy for the better part of a century."

Then came the day when pine was no longer king in Michigan. Cut-over lands were converted to farms, marked more by failure than success. A land boom hit the state in the 70's and thousands of acres of land unsuitable for farming were unloaded on trusting souls.

Taxes went up. Hard-won clearings reverted to brush. The land was abandoned. Again it was back in public domain.

That is the condition that exists today and causes great concern for the future. Delta county, Schoolcraft county and most of the Northern Michigan counties have a large percentage of their areas in state or federal ownership.

What to do with this land, how to wisely return portions of it to private ownership — that is the land use question.

—Clint Dunathan.

THE LYONS DEN

By Leonard Lyons

NEW YORK — Sgt. Marion Hargrove never was graduated from Central High School in Charlotte, N. C. because he refused to take the senior geometry exam. The school's principal therefore has been unable to fulfill a desire to include Hargrove's name on Central High's Plaque of Fame along with Hal Kemp and John Scott Trotter . . . Yesterday Sgt. Hargrove was notified by the principal that since plain geometry no longer is a required subject there, and since all loyal sons of Central High are entitled to one extra point-credit for Army service, Marion Hargrove — author of a book which sold over 3,000,000 copies—is entitled to and will receive a high school diploma . . . "Now," sighed Hargrove, "I am the Jean Valjean of Formal Education."

UNDER THE terms of Franklin D. Roosevelt's will, Mrs. Roosevelt and their children are free to determine whether they will exercise the rights of use and occupancy of his Hyde Park home. Mrs. Roosevelt already has made her decision and moved from the big house to live in the summer cottage. The only one of the Roosevelt children who will live in the Hyde Park house is Elliott. He likes living there and after the war he and his wife will spend six months a year in this house and the rest of the year in the West.

GEN. BILL O'DWYER, who was scheduled to return from California next month, will arrive here today, thereby increasing the speculation about the Majority race . . . Louis Marx, the toy manufacturer who converted his plants to munitions-making, leaves for Europe this week. He will visit Gen. Eisenhower's headquarters on an Army mission involving European production . . . Maurice Hindus is writing a history of the Cossacks . . . Milton Caniff, author of the "Terry and the Pirates" strip, who soon will become a Marshall Field cartoonist, will use as the star of his new strip the lady known as "Lace" in his Army-distributed strip, "Male Call."

ON THE DAY before Robert Sherrod, the Life correspondent, left Okinawa he rode in a jeep with Gen. Merlin Silverthorn, Chief of Staff of the 3rd Amphibious Corps. "Not too near the front," Sherrod suggested . . . "I said Gen. Silverthorn . . . 'I've seen shootin', and I'm going home tomorrow,'" said Sherrod, a survivor of the Tarawa, Saipan and Iwo Jima campaigns . . . They drove to a point near the end of the peninsula, past main caves, and they found a box which they dumped into the back of the jeep . . . Sherrod now is home safely.

week Gen. Silverthorn notified him that 2,000 Japs later were killed in those caves they had passed. And the box they had dumped into the jeep proved to be an infernal machine.

RAYMOND EDWARD JOHNSON of CBS' "Inner Sanctum" show, who played Jefferson in Sidney Kingsley's "The Patriots," will enter the Army next week . . . Hildegard is exhibiting remarkable showmanship at the Persian Room, where for a full hour each night she gives a party-air to a crowded room . . . Sam and Bella Spewack, who wrote the screenplay of "Week-End at the Waldorf," won the drawing which was held among the hundreds of actors, technicians, etc., who worked on the picture. The prize was a week end at the Waldorf. The Spewacks gave the prize to a serviceman . . . Sgt. Max Baer was in Toots Shor's yesterday and saw Lou Nova, who once beat him, sitting there bruised and with face discolored. "Fist-fighting is so silly," said Sgt. Baer.

White cereals have lower food value than do whole grain or dark cereals.

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

BY DREW PEARSON

(Col. R. S. Allen now on active service) Washington—After Churchill and Truman sent their simultaneous notes to Stalin reviewing all of Russia's broken Yalta promises—on Poland, Roumania, Yugoslavia and Austria—Stalin replied on May 10 with a smashing note to Churchill and

a milder note to Truman. In neither did he back down on anything.

Apparently Churchill has an unerring faculty for getting under Stalin's skin. Twice before they were almost at each other's throat when the late President Roosevelt stepped in between. This latest Stalin reply to Churchill was in similar vein.

The milder note to Truman was about eight pages long and reaffirmed Russia's desire to carry out the Yalta pact, but differed diametrically regarding its interpretation. Stalin fell back also on the explanation that he and Roosevelt had a personal understanding as to how the Yalta pact was to be carried out.

Admittedly the Yalta pact is vague. One of the late President's advisers reminded him of this at Yalta, and got the reply: "I know it, but it's the best I can get the Russians to agree to without staying here six weeks and I can't stay here six weeks."

—KEPT OUT OF AUSTRIA— Stalin's lengthy note also answered the Truman-Churchill inquiry as to why the western Allies were not consulted regarding the new Renner government in Austria, created by the Russians overnight. Stalin's explanation was that the Austrian people have proved their worth, that the situation demanded great speed, and so Stalin saw no objection to their establishing their own government.

Of course, under Yalta, it was stipulated that new governments in the liberated areas were not to be set up without consultation between the Big Three. Probably also a cable from Moscow to London and Washington would have secured immediate approval of Karl Renner as the New Chancellor of Austria. But this advance notice was not given.

Stalin also explained, in reply to the Truman-Churchill inquiry, that the situation in Roumania was desperate, that there were serious disorders, that the Radescu government had deceived the Roumanian people and they themselves wanted an immediate change. He also explained that Transylvania had been given to Roumania (without consulting Britain and the U. S. A.) in order to consolidate the new Roumanian government and give it support with all political factions.

In regard to Yugoslavia and the Yalta pledge to reorganize the Yugoslav Parliament, Stalin explained that no time limit had been set in the Yalta agreement (which is correct) and that these reforms would be carried out at the proper time.

—U. S. PRISONERS HELD— Meanwhile, another sore point arose to plague Allied-Russian relations when the Soviet delayed the return of American and British prisoners liberated by the Red army. At first the Russians gave the excuse that transportation was difficult, which was true. But when we proposed sending transport planes to Poland to carry our men out, it was indicated that this would be up to the Lublin-Polish government, since most of the prisoners are in Poland.

The conclusion seems to be that U. S. British prisoners are being held in Poland as a sort of hostage to force recognition of the Lublin government, which so far we have refused to recognize and declined to admit to San Francisco.

Last complication in our distressing and tangled Russian relations has been delay in the entry of U. S. troops into Berlin. Under the Yalta pact, a "central control commission consisting of the three powers with headquarters in Berlin" was to rule Germany. Sometime ago the U. S. Second Armored Division prepared to enter Berlin as a token force but was kept cooling its tanks at the River Elbe.

It is hoped hourly that this last tangle may be unsnarled—perhaps by the time this gets into print. But three weeks have passed since the fall of Berlin and there has been no gesture of genuine welcome to the American army to send the planned token force or the American part of the control commission into Berlin. American doughboys and Russian soldiers have shown the greatest desire for friendship, but they are carefully kept on the opposite sides of a well-guarded line. This was the demand of the Russians, not of SHAEF.

These are some of the factors which have led American experts on Russian relations to conclude that Stalin and Molotov no longer are supreme in Russia, that history has repeated itself, as in the days of Catherine the Great and the Czars, and that the generals of the Red Army are the real rulers of present-day Soviet Russia.

Collectors have a habit of haunting some people the minute the ghost walks.

Now, if our returning soldiers could just turn over to the wife the points they have left over!

"Some Wholesale Prices Hold Level"—headline. And some have never been on the level.

Things have hardly settled down enough yet at the San Francisco conference for the Dove of Peace to do much cooing.

One jockey and numerous bank rolls were injured at an eastern track. The jockey will recover.

There are 14,000,000,000 reasons why you should invest in 7th War Loan Bonds—every one of them much-needed dollars!

30 PICKED FOR PREINDUCTION

Group Leaves Escanaba Tuesday Morning For Marquette

The Delta county draft board has ordered 30 men to report Tuesday, May 22 at the local office of the board for preinduction examination. The men will report at 6:45 a. m. and will travel to Marquette by bus. Two registrants of other boards have been transferred to the jurisdiction of the local board for preinduction.

The group includes the following:

Vernon Joseph Rousseau, leader; Milton P. J. Jacobsen, Fred Dossart, Alvin Clarence Steede, Leslie Orten Dimock, Paul Joseph Levesque, Paul Andrew DeGrand, Earl Tryan, Henry Sovey, John Roeser, Gergory, Donald John Pepin, Stephen M. Moskun, Emil Bernard Oja.

Robert Wm. Pearson, David Leighton, Edward Frank Erickson, Jr., Eugene Arnold Trudell, William John Gasman, Frank Anton DeCook, Raymond Joseph Moran, August Michael LaCrosse, Jr.

Peter Junior Stoffel, William Allen DuFour, Roy Vernon Jensen, Willard Johnson, Arthur Charles Fourier, James Patrick Tobin, Richard William Dufresne.

Transferred to this board are Vernon Allan Dubrock and local registrants transferred to other boards for preinduction are Francis James Molloy and George Barnes.

Not All U. P. Beaver Caught By Trappers

Marquette—Not all of the beaver in the upper peninsula were caught by trappers last month. The conservation department reports that four complaints about nuisance beaver have been received from the Baraga district game area since the season closed.

Trappers took a record 12,068 beaver pelts in April.

There is disagreement among trappers about the need for a closed season in 1946, and results of a department survey of beaver populations next summer are awaited.

Reports of beaver poaching have been numerous. General absence of tracking snow permitted thefts from traps and one trapper reports finding a skinned beaver carcass in his trap.

Windsor Castle in London has been a fortified spot since the early 11th century and a royal residence since the time of William the Conqueror.



RITA DECKER



THERESA GAUTHIER

HONOR STUDENTS—Rita Eileen Decker is the valedictorian of the St. Joseph high school graduating class, and Theresa Vivian Gauthier is the salutatorian of the class, it has been announced. Miss Decker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Decker, 322 S. 14th street, had a scholastic average of 96.7 and Miss Gauthier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Gauthier, Bank River, had a 96.1 average. Other honor students are: Betty Jane Sabar, class president; Mary Jane Goloback, O.L.S. prefect; George Thomas Rodman, student manager in athletics; Geraldine Elizabeth Bink, OBE president; Patricia Catherine Rademacher, Gwynnyn Ruth Laviolette, Nonamaria Greis, Anna Mae Kehoe, Theresa Ann Seymour, William Edward Miron, and Theresa Ann Collins.

Briefly Told

Dinner Dance—The Escanaba Golf Club will open the 1945 season with a dinner dance, starting at 6:30 o'clock, Saturday evening, May 26. Members are requested to call the golf club for reservations before Thursday, B. W. Hall is chairman of special events for the season.

Lions Meeting—The regular meeting of the Escanaba Lions club will be servicemen's night at the Sherman Hotel Monday night. All servicemen in the city home on leave or furlough are invited to attend. The meeting also will include the nomination of officers for the ensuing year.

Rotary Program—Sgt. Leo Coan of Army Air Corps intelligence service will speak to the Escanaba Rotary club Monday noon. He has spent the past three years in the India-China theater of war, and is now home on furlough.

Kiwanis Club—Gordon Brozek of Marquette will give a talk on radio at the meeting of the Kiwanis club at the Sherman hotel Monday noon.

Jobs Daughters—Installation practice will be held at the Masonic hall at 1:30 p. m. today for Jobs Daughters. All installing officers and newly elected officers are asked to be present.

Former Resident Of Ensign Dies May 2

Word has been received here of the death on May 2, of Mrs. Hazel Culbert of Seattle, Wash., the former Hazel Wilson of Ensign. Funeral services were held on May 4, at the Columbia Funeral Home in Seattle, the Rev. Dwight S. Dodson, officiating. Burial was in Washelli Cemetery.

Mrs. Culbert was born March 29, 1882 at Sac Bay, Mich. She is survived by four sons, all of Seattle, a daughter of Seattle and a daughter of Portland, Ore.; three brothers, Melvin Wilson of Milwaukee, Rodney Wilson of Oconto, Wis., and William Wilson of Ensign; a sister, Mrs. Sadie Minar of Rapid River; and a niece Mrs. Robert Olson of Ensign.

When she was still an obscure, provincial actress in Italy Eleonora Duse courted to the already famous French actress, Sarah Bernhardt.

Mr. and Mrs. Spike Morell of Milwaukee are guests in Escanaba for the week end.

FISHING TREATY PLAN ENDORSED

Other Proposals Okehed At Meeting In Marquette

Resolutions favoring the proposed international treaty for Great Lakes fish conservation, increase of fish hatcheries, improvements of harbors and reopening of closed fishing water were adopted at Marquette Friday by the commercial fishing committee of the Upper Peninsula technical and industrial sub-committee of the Michigan planning commission, which met at the Northland hotel. Dr. Grover C. Dillman, president of Michigan Tech, Houghton, chairman of the Upper Peninsula committee, presided.

The resolutions, adopted after general discussion and reports, will be submitted to the Michigan planning commission. The committee on fishing favors:

1. Adoption of the international treaty.
2. Enlargement of hatcheries and the building of new hatcheries to restock the Great Lakes with all species of fish.
3. Improving of harbors and ports for navigation of small craft.
4. Investigation of the advisability of reopening of all closed water (for commercial fishing) within the state.

Discussion of postwar plans and the development included the survey of fishermen employed, education of the public for increased consumption of fish, preparation of fish for the market and organization of fishermen.

In discussing the fish market, much consideration was given to the possibility of finding ways and means to process more fish in the Upper Peninsula, thereby utilizing more labor and retaining profits now going elsewhere.

The international treaty referred to in the first resolution pertains to a proposed treaty between the United States and Canada which would regulate commercial fishing in Great Lakes waters.

County Welfare Money Used to Pay Court Fine

The payment from county welfare funds of fine and costs totaling \$33.25 for an employee of the county infirmary so that he could be released from jail and return to work was defended yesterday by A. M. Gilbert, director of social welfare, as an alternative to the support of the man's family on welfare.

The employee is Clifford Brower, who Gilbert said has been employed at the county infirmary for three years.

In Justice Werner Olson's court May 9 Brower pleaded guilty to a disorderly conduct charge and was sentenced to jail for 90 days when he failed to pay a fine of \$25 and costs of \$8.25. Complaint against Brower was made by Thomas M. Goedert, 414 South Sixth street. Goedert's wife and Mrs. Brower are sisters.

On Thursday, May 17, Justice Olson said that Pete Ladouceur, an employee of the county social welfare department, paid Brower's fine and costs with a welfare department check signed by Gilbert, and Brower was released.

Yesterday Gilbert explained that the check was drawn on the Delta county infirmary fund, and that it represented an advance on Brower's salary as an employee. Brower is to repay the money to the welfare department, Gilbert said.

If the fine and costs had not been paid Brower would have had to remain in jail and his family would have to be supported by welfare funds, Gilbert added. Because of the manpower shortage Brower is also needed to work at the infirmary, Gilbert said.

Goedert said last night that Brower has worked at the infirmary about one year and that he has a family of seven children. Mrs. Brower is seriously ill at St. Francis hospital. Two of the children are living with the Goederts in Escanaba and five others were placed in private homes in the county by the mother before she entered the hospital, Goedert said.

800 Are Expected At Boys' State

East Lansing (AP)—About 800 Michigan high school boys, chosen and sponsored by American Legion Posts throughout the state, are expected to attend the Eighth

Annual Wolverine Boys State at Michigan State College June 14 to 22. Each of the boys will take part in governing a mythical 49th state established at the college as part of a program to teach them the operations of self-government, Carl C. Matheny of Detroit, president of the Boys State, said.

Climax of the boys' governmental training program will be June 21 when youthful officials of the Boys State take over the legislative and judicial chambers and executive departments at the state capitol.

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Social - Club

Webster P. T. A.

New officers were installed at the final meeting of the Webster Parent-Teacher association, with Mrs. A. Braamse, president of the Parent-Teacher Council, directing the installation ceremonies.

The program, following the business session, was featured by the following talks by high school students: "The Long Road to Peace," Florence Olson; "The Structure of the Dumbarton Oaks Plan," Donald Swellander; and "The Issues Facing Delegates at San Francisco," Sue Moran.

The Webster Camp Fire Girls sang a few numbers, accompanied by Gladys Swanson. Mrs. John Cass also sang two solos, following which there was group singing. A candy sale was held by the Camp Fire Girls, and lunch was served by a committee, headed by Mrs. John Bernsten.

Meet Tomorrow Night

Election of officers and initiation of new members will be held tomorrow night at the dinner meeting of the B. & P. W. Club, which will begin at 6:30 o'clock at the Dells. Alice Potter is chairman of the committee in charge and is being assisted by Marie Peters and Dorothy Boyle. Reservations for dinner and for transportation can be made by calling Marie Peters, 950-V.

E. R. A. Meeting

The regular meeting of the Equitable Reserve association will be held Monday evening at eight o'clock at Grenier's hall. Following the business meeting, there will be a card party for members only. Lunch will be served by the committee in charge.

St. Ann Home and School Club

The final meeting of the year of St. Ann Home and School club will be held Tuesday evening at eight o'clock at the school hall. Important business will be discussed, after which an interesting program will be presented. Marilyn Meiers and Lois Emrick will outline phases of the Dumbarton Oaks plan and Mrs. Frank Beaudry will sing solos, accompanied by Mrs. Clinton Groos. Lunch will be served at the conclusion of the program.

Surprise Party

Mrs. R. J. Kasbohm of Perronville was hostess at a birthday surprise party given in honor of her sister, Mrs. Harry Wescott of Wells, Thursday afternoon. The party was held at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. King, 111 South Fifth street. The afternoon was spent playing games.

Those present were Mesdames Clarence Eagle, Andy Schwartz, Ernest Boes, Catherine Redmond, and Herbert Wescott, Wells; Tom Rice, Orton Degneffe, Dorothy Williams, Raymond King, Ernest Benoit, Walter Kasbohm and Miss Mary Dubord, Escanaba, and Mrs. R. Kasbohm and Mrs. Derouin of Perronville.

Prizes went to Mrs. Herbert Wescott, first; Mrs. Dorothy Williams, second; and Mrs. E. Boes, consolation. A delicious lunch was served, and a birthday cake centered the table. Mrs. Wescott received a number of lovely gifts.

Morning Star Grocery Party

The Morning Star society will hold a grocery party Wednesday evening, May 23, in the North Star hall. The party will be held immediately following the business session of the lodge which will begin at 7:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Orpheus Club

The Orpheus Choral club will meet promptly at 7 o'clock this evening downstairs at the First Methodist church, corner Second avenue and South Sixth street. After taking part in the 75th anniversary service there, it is planned to go directly to the parlors of St. Joseph's church, where a K. of C. program is to be held. Full club attendance is expected.

The club also anticipates closing the season's activities with a business meeting on Tuesday evening. The meeting is scheduled to begin at 7 o'clock, and is to be held in the backstage music room of the junior high school. All members are urged to be present.

Dessert Bridge

St. Ann Social club is sponsoring a dessert bridge for members and new members only, Thursday, May 24, at 7:30 p. m. in the parish hall. This is the annual membership drive and all women of the parish are invited and urged to join. A nominal fee will be charged. Prizes will be awarded at each table.

Reservations, which must be made by Wednesday noon, can be made with anyone of the following committee: Mrs. Henry Beaumier, chairman, 826; and Mesdames August Brazeau, Jules DeGrand, Tim Derouin, Eugene Ethier, Helen Fillion, Eva LaViolette, Eugene Peltier, Wilfred Picore, Nels Morin and Eugene Auger.

Girl Scout "Cook-Out"

The seventh grade Girl Scouts of the junior high school enjoyed a "cook-out" at Pioneer Trail Park yesterday afternoon. The object of the outing was to demonstrate outdoor cooking without the use of any utensils. The troop includes the following: Clara Gallagher, Margaret Schroeder, Donna Mae Rudness, Jerine Hendrickson, Carol Christensen, Irene Steen, Jane Holderman, Audrey Kostizke, Jean Wickstrom, Betty Ann Lun-



REV. G. F. GORTON



REV. O. H. STEEN

METHODIST CLERGYMEN—The Rev. G. F. Gorton, superintendent of the Marquette District of the Methodist church will speak tonight at the evening service at the First Methodist Church.

The Rev. Otto H. Steen is pastor of the local church which is celebrating its seventy-fifth anniversary.

Rev. R. C. G. Williams To Speak At Service

Today is Welcome Home Day for Escanaba Methodists who are celebrating their seventy-fifth anniversary.

The Rev. R. C. G. Williams of South Lyon, Mich., will speak at the morning service at 10:45 a. m. His topic will be "Singing in the Dark."

Prior to the service, Church School will be held starting at 9:45 o'clock. At the morning service will be special music by the choir and by Miss Cleo Giannopoulos, organist.

The Rev. Gustav Lund of the Bethany Lutheran church will speak this afternoon at the Youth Rally which will begin at 4 o'clock. The title of his talk is "Pro-Testity." Miss Florence Anderson will sing a solo. Refreshments will be served at 6:30 p. m.

At the evening service, at 7:30 o'clock tonight, the Orpheus Choral Club, under the direction of R. P. Bowers, will sing. The Rev. G. F. Gorton, superintendent of the Marquette District, will be the speaker. Miss Giannopoulos will again be at the organ.

The anniversary banquet is scheduled to start at 6:30 p. m. tomorrow night. The guest speaker will be Casey Wiggins, professor at the Northern Michigan College of Education, Marquette. A vocal solo will be presented by B. W. Hill.

The anniversary celebration started last night when a pot luck dinner was held, followed by a musical program and an address by Rev. Williams on "Building a New World."

Final Meeting

St. Joseph's home and School Association will hold its final meeting of the year on Wednesday, May 23, at 3:30 p. m. in the school club room. At this time, Mrs. Oscar Loeffler, chairman of the nominating committee, will give a report of that committee which will be followed by election of officers and installation. A financial report for the three years that the association has been in existence will be distributed to members.

On Saturday, May 26, a card party and dance will be held in the parish hall, sponsored by the association. A small admission will be charged and refreshments will be served. Everyone is cordially invited to attend this final social gathering of the season.

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By ALICIA HART
NEA Staff Writer

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The thing to watch, even in chairs that encourage an iron-spine posture, are legs. When legs are crossed at the knees, today's close-fitting skirts have no choice but to rise. But legs held closely together at both knees and ankles not only keep you sitting pretty but somehow stamp you as being alert.

You'll never be guilty of awkwardly unscrambling yourself from a chair—even a low-slung one—if you'll shift your body to the edge of the chair seat and then lift yourself up, using one extended foot as a pivot.



TO WED SOON—Mr. and Mrs. Everett Stebbins of LaBranche, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lorraine M. Stebbins, to Leon H. Leutz, A. S., U. S. N. R., who is stationed at Ann Arbor, Mich.

The wedding date has been set for Saturday, May 26.

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Personal News

Capt. John Roen of Sturgeon Bay, Wis., was a visitor in Escanaba yesterday while enroute to his home from Sault Ste. Marie. Captain Roen had made a trip aboard the Str. John Roen, formerly the Str. Humphrey, which he salvaged near the Straits. The 600-foot steamer is now engaged in the ore trade.

Pvt. Thomas Farrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Farrell of 300 North 15th street, arrived Thursday night from Fort Sill, Okla., on a 15-day furlough. When returning to duty he will report to Seattle, Wash.

Al Johnson of Bark River has returned from Rochester, Minn., where he received treatment at the Mayo clinic.

Miss Donna Salisburg has arrived from Hastings, Nebr., and is in Escanaba on business.

Cpl. John J. Kane arrived yesterday afternoon from Florida and visited with friends here. He is spending his delay-enroute to Kearns, Utah, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Kane of Harris.

Miss Charlotte Powers, 612 South Twelfth street, left yesterday morning for Milwaukee where she is visiting relatives and friends.

D. H. Raess arrived Thursday night from Baldwin, Mich., and is spending the weekend here with his family, 1115 Tenth avenue south.

Miss Ceil and Miss Phyllis LaPalme arrived Friday night from Chicago and are spending the weekend at their home here.

Miss Rita Vandewiele, South Fifteenth street, and Miss Lorraine Hart, South Fourteenth street, returned Friday night from Birmingham, Mich., where they have been temporarily employed by the Bell Telephone company.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sullivan and son, David, are leaving today to return to their home in Detroit following a week's visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Williams, 708 South Eleventh street, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Franzen of Gladstone. Mr. Sullivan is a photographer at one of the Chrysler plants in Detroit.

Jack Moberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moberg of Wells, left last night from Escanaba on one of the Reiss boats on which he will sail during the coming season.

Cpl. William Eis has arrived from Santa Ana, Calif., and is spending a furlough at the home of his mother, Mrs. W. J. Eis, 1316 Eleventh avenue south.

Orville Cox arrived Friday night from Milwaukee to spend the weekend here. He, Mrs. Cox and their son, will leave tomorrow to return to Milwaukee following a visit at the Ed Johnson and E. A. Cox homes.

T/5 Ray Christensen arrived yesterday morning from Fort Sheridan following his recent liberation from a German prison camp. He is spending a 60-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Christensen, 1031 Washington avenue.

Mrs. Mae Goodman, 205 South 16th street, left yesterday morning for South Bend, Ind., where she is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Degnan and her daughter, Kathryn Ann Goodman. Miss Goodman will graduate from Central high school in South Bend on May 30. The graduation exercises will be held at John Adams auditorium.

Lt. and Mrs. Robert Embs will arrive tonight from Pratt, Kan., to visit at the home of Lt. Embs' mother, Mrs. Lillian Embs, 325 South 17th street.

Mrs. John Nyquist, 1410 North 22nd street, has returned from Port Huron where she spent two weeks visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Nyquist, Jr., and family, during the serious illness of their four months old son, John, III.

Mrs. Oscar Berglund has returned from Sacramento, Calif., where she spent the winter with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr.



NEWLYWEDS—EM 2/c and Mrs. Raymond Thorbjornsen were married on April 24, in Our Saviours Lutheran church in San Diego, Calif. Before her marriage, Mrs. Thorbjornsen was Miss Betty Jean Lindquist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lindquist, Escanaba route one. EM 2/c Thorbjornsen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thorbjornsen of Groos.

For her wedding, Mrs. Thorbjornsen chose a pastel green wool suit, with which she wore brown accessories and a corsage of red roses.

At present, they are residing at 3230 Curtis street, San Diego.

Lt. Mae Bergman Evacuates Men From Jap Island

Flight nurse Lt. Mae E. Bergman was one of two army nurses who went to Okinawa first to evacuate wounded men. She was the subject of a recent picture in the Detroit Times in which Lt. Bergman was shown talking to wounded men aboard an ATO plane taking off from Okinawa.

The flight was made from Guam to which the wounded men were returned. The Escanaba nurse was also the subject of an article in the Minneapolis Star Journal, which mentioned that Lt. Bergman, graduate of the Minneapolis School of Nursing in 1943, had been in service for 18 months and overseas for eight.

Recently promoted to first lieutenant, she has seen service in the Marianas, on Guadalcanal and Admiralty Islands and in addition on Guam, Okinawa and several other points in the Pacific.

Some time ago, Lt. Bergman, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Bergman, 1016 Tenth

and Mrs. Clarence V. Olsen and granddaughter, Bonnie Jean. Mrs. Berglund also visited her sister, Mrs. Julius Johnson, and brother, William Johnson, in San Pedro, Calif., and with friends in Long Beach.

Robert Frasher arrived last night from Green Bay to spend the weekend at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Frasher, 218 North Tenth street.

Bill McDermott, of the merchant marine, has arrived from the east coast and is spending a leave at the home of his mother, Mrs. G. E. McDermott, 524 South Seventh street. He has just returned from sea duty.

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Hough, Roosters crow in Town
Langley, A Lion Is In the Streets.
Lawrence, The Narrowing wind
Lehmann, The Ballad and the Source.

L'Engle, The Small Rain
McLean, A Moment of Time
Mayou, Turn Home
Miller, The Iron Gate
Molloy, Pride's Way
Rives, You Can't Stop Living

Non-Fiction
Bernays, Take Your Place at the Peace Table
Bryant, Future Perfect
Meyer, The A B C of Physics
Cooper, The Cruising Yacht
Williams-Heller, Cooked to Your Taste

Morris, Radio Workshop Plays
Howard, Walkin' Preacher of the Ozarks
Hunter, Come Back on Tuesday
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Karig, Battle Report
Parsons, Mob 3
Burt, Philadelphia.

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Church Events

Altar Society

The Altar Society of St. Joseph's Church will hold their regular monthly meeting at 8 o'clock Wednesday night in the parish hall. Following the meeting a social will be held. In charge of arrangements is a committee of which Mrs. R. Hedsten is chairman. All members are urged to attend.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Art Peerless of Peoria, Ill., formerly of this city, are the parents of a son, Michael Scott, born at St. Francis hospital on May 16. The baby is the second son, the first having been named Terry. Mrs. Peerless is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hemes, 712 Lake Shore Drive.

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U. P. LIBRARY MEETING HELD

Mrs. Thomas Is Elected President Of Association

Mrs. Nancy Thomas of Escanaba was elected president of the Upper Peninsula Library association at the annual meeting held at the Carnegie public library here yesterday. Margaret Dundon of Ishpeming was named vice president; Elizabeth Mather of Escanaba, secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Barbara Semer, also of Escanaba, was elected Upper Peninsula chairman of the trustees division of the state association.

The county library program was discussed by Eudocia Stratton, Lansing, director of state aid, at the morning session. She stated there are now 23 county systems functioning in Michigan to serve the needs of both adults and children in the rural communities.

At the noon luncheon held at St. Stephen's church, Mrs. Phillip C. Beauchamp Jr. sang two numbers, with Mrs. C. L. Riegel playing the piano accompaniment. General library problems were considered at the afternoon session. Mrs. Dorothy Shipman of Manistique gave a travel talk on Mexico at the afternoon tea.

Out-of-town delegates to the meeting included: Iva M. Klinglund, Lorraine Reichel, Negaunee; Margaret Dundon, Ishpeming; Mary Meinberg, Mrs. Ethel Schuyler, Mrs. Ruth Tjaden, Menominee; Zona Kemp Williams, Phyllis Rankin, Mrs. Carroll Paul, Mrs. Dorothy Graves, Marquette; Mrs. Dorothy Shipman, Manistique; Melba Urban, Lucile Monroe, Iron Mountain; Norma Peterson, Esther Lindquist, Iron River; Lydia Koebbe, Stambaugh; Edna Erickson, Hilla Karpainen, Munising; Adeline Cooke, Birmingham; Mrs. W. E. Parker, Gladwin; Eudocia Stratton, Lansing; Jack Stephens, Chicago; Nona Quist, Mrs. W. F. Asselin, Norway; Mrs. John Norton Jr., Gladstone.

McMillan

Sgt. Leonard Kubont returned Saturday to his post in Mississippi after spending his furlough here at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kubont.

Miss Connie Schunk of Vulcan is visiting here with friends Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mainville. Miss Schunk was formerly employed here as instructor in the Lincoln school.

Mrs. Ulrich Gouin and daughter-in-law Mrs. Benjamin Rushton and the latter's daughter Benny arrived home Wednesday after visiting a few days in Auburn with relatives Mr. and Mrs. Fred Agan.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tucker spent Sunday in Corrine at the home of friends Mr. and Mrs. Jud Fisher.

Miss Geraldine Generou of Detroit arrived Friday being called home by the illness of her mother Mrs. Frank Generou.

Mrs. William McLaren, Mrs. John McLaren and daughter Gail have returned to their homes here after visiting with friends and relatives in Detroit the past few weeks.

Lyle Painter of Detroit is enjoying several days of the fishing season here as the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Junior Painter.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bryers have returned to their home in Flint following a short visit here with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. William Bryers and with Mrs. Bryers' parents Mr. and Mrs. Peter McInnis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoder arrived Monday from Detroit and expect to take up their residence in McMillan.

Miss Marie Peters has returned to her home in Escanaba following a short visit here at the home of her brother. She was accompanied here by her mother Mrs. William Peters who remained for a longer visit with her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Peters.

Mrs. John Harrington, teacher of the 6-7-8 grade pupils was hostess to a number of mothers at a Mother's Day tea given in the school room Friday afternoon.

Junior Tucker, Gerald Carroll, Norbert Mainville, and Stanley Generou left Monday for the Sault. They will be employed during the summer months on the Great Lakes for the Pittsburg



BEAR CUB VISITS SCHOOL.—This tiny bear cub was guest for a day at the Cornell school recently, when a local resident found him in the woods, separated from his mother. Though he was much admired by the children, he was not enthusiastic about education, so he was turned loose again to rejoin his family. But first he had his picture taken with Mrs. Edward Schmidt, the former Mary Lundgaard.

Obituary

MRS. T. A. ROGGE

Iron Mountain—Services for Mrs. Theodore A. Rogge, 741 Cass, who died Monday, were held at 1:30 Thursday at the Freeman funeral home and at 2 at Our Saviour's, the Rev. William Siegel officiating.

The choir, under the direction of Mrs. Ethel Ohman, sang "One Sweetly Solemn Thought" and "Still, Still With Thee," and Mrs. Ohman, accompanied by Miss Doris Vicklund, sang "I'm But a Stranger Here."

Palbearers were Harry Banbury, John Schwei, Ted Lofstrom, M. Galbraith, Thomas Oliver, and J. J. Weber. Burial was in Cemetery Park.

Attending the funeral from away were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sundelius and children, Miss Eileen Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Jule Johnson, Mrs. Clarence Gerdeen, Mrs. Carlton Johnson and Mrs. Ludwig Kjellberg, Escanaba; Mrs. Charles N. Johnson, Ford River; Emil Johnson, Norway; Mrs. Ben

Steamship Company. They were accompanied as far as Gould City by Mrs. Floyd Tucker.

The cast for the Junior-Senior play and director of the play Mrs. W. C. Peters enjoyed at a theater party Wednesday evening.

Thiele, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rogge and Mrs. Sam Young, Milwaukee; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rogge and son, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Rogge, Mrs. Ralph Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rogge, Oshkosh, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. Orville Rogge, Tigerton, Wis.; Mrs. Russell Phillips, New London, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Goodney, Ishpeming; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gall, Stambaugh; Mr. and Mrs. R. Nelson, Rhineland; Mr. and Mrs. H. Moore, Charles Symes and Mrs. Mabel Symes, Wabeno, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rogge, Goodman; Mr. and Mrs. Myron Rogge, Channing; R. Krebs, Green Bay, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rogge, Marinette.

LEONARD SYLVESTER

Funeral services for Leonard Sylvester were held yesterday afternoon at the Anderson funeral home, A. M. Boomer of Danforth officiating.

Two request numbers, "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer" and "Nearer My God To Thee," were sung by C. Arthur Anderson. He was accompanied by Mrs. Leonard Nelson.

Palbearers were Joseph Casey, Neily LaCombe, Herman LaFave, George Goodnough, Louis Anderson and Raine Guindon.

Persons who came from out of town to attend the service were Mrs. Ernest Congdon, Gladstone; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cox, Ruth and James Cox and Mrs. William Springer, Munising; Mrs. Henry

News From Men In The Service

Staff Sgt. Francis Lueneburg has returned to the United States from the Pacific, where he was wounded on Luzon on March 14, and is receiving treatment at the General Hospital, Birmingham, Calif. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lueneburg, 524 South Nineteenth street.

Staff Sgt. Lueneburg was awarded the Purple Heart. He served for six months in the Pacific, and prior to that had served for one and one-half years in the European Theater of operations. He expects to be home on furlough soon.

4th AAF Field, Santa Rosa, Calif.—With 29 months overseas duty behind him in the Chinese-Burma-India theater of war, Sgt. **Isidore J. Linck**, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Linck of Engadine, recently was assigned to duty with the Fourth Air Force at Santa Rosa, Calif.

Sgt. Linck's wide experience in army transportation work gained on his overseas tour is being utilized to advantage in his new assignment.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Winling, Sr., Escanaba route one, have received word that their son, **MM 3/c William Winling** is in a hospital in the South Pacific. He has been in the Pacific with the navy only a month.

The Winlings have two other sons in service. **Pfc. Leonard, Jr.**, has been with the military police in China for eight months. **Master Sgt. Jack** is with the A.T.C. in Casablanca.

John C. Kress, son of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Kress, 508 South Ninth street, has enlisted in the navy and is now at Great Lakes, Ill. He writes his parents that the Navy is fine!

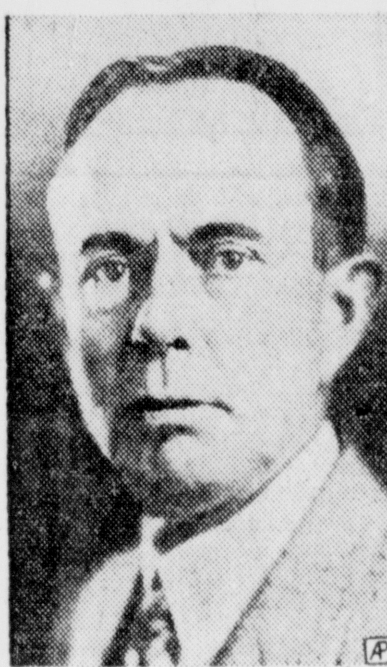
Since the American Civil War there have been 18 Republican conventions, and at 11 native Ohioans have been nominated for the Presidency of the United States.

Pflieder and Mrs. Leroy Ingraham of Milwaukee.

Burial was in the family lot in Gardens of Rest cemetery.

WILLIAM HARWOOD

Funeral services for William Harwood will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Anderson funeral home and at 2:30 p. m. at the First Presbyterian church. The Rev. Karl J. Hammar of the Central Methodist church will officiate. Burial will be in the family lot in Lakeview cemetery.



CASEY C. WIGGINS

MEN'S CLUB SPEAKER—C. C. Wiggins, member of the faculty of the Northern Michigan College of Education, will be the speaker at the Men's Brotherhood banquet to be held at the First Methodist church Monday evening. Briton W. Hall will sing a solo, and the girls trio will present a few selections. The limit of 150 tickets have been sold, but to accommodate the overflow crowd, the speaking and musical program will be presented in the church auditorium, beginning at 8 o'clock. Refreshments also will be served at the close of the evening's program.

Marinette To Have New Piston Plant

Marinette, Wis.—The common council voted unanimously to lease the city garage to the Badger Manufacturing company as a temporary site for the manufacture of pistons and other automotive items.

Officials of the firm were contacted this morning by Chamber of Commerce officials and Earl J. Martin, M. J. Howison and L. E. Richards will come to Marinette this week end to complete plans for beginning operations.

The city council vote was taken after a report that Boreal Manufacturing company officials would locate a new warehouse for raw materials stored in the city garage. They also offered all possible aid to the committee, expressing their desire to help bring other industries here as well as aid the community in every other way possible. The city garage, only a part of which is used by the glove company for storage, is at the rear of the Boreal company, 1523 Main street.

Chile extends from the border of Peru, 2,661 miles south to the Magellan Straits and Cape Horn.

MARSCH TO SELL GRAVEL PLANT

Chicagoan Will Dispose Of Holdings Near Marinette

Menominee — The Walsh Sand & Gravel company, last major holding in this area of the once farflung empire of John Marsch, Chicago contractor, railroad, financier and diplomat, has been put up for sale in Marsch's general plan to liquidate all his possessions, with the exception of his stable of race horses which has become his chief interest.

The sand and gravel property, comprising 156 acres of land, machinery and equipment, is located near Walsh which once was a whistle stop on the Wisconsin & Michigan Railroad which Marsch owned until its abandonment in 1938. The equipment includes steam shovels, crushers, conveyors, bulldozers and is one of the biggest gravel production plants in this part of the country. Michael J. Anuta, local attorney, has charge of the sale.

Marsch did construction work on W. & M. railroad and later obtained financial control of it. The road never reached the expectations of its builders a half century ago. They envisioned ore docks at Peshtigo Harbor for getting iron ore out of the upper peninsula to lower lake port steel mills.

The main line of the road ap-

proximately 70 miles between Bagley Junction and Iron Mountain. It had connections with the Soo Line at Faithorn and used the Milwaukee Road's tracks from Bagley Junction to Menominee for connections with the Ann Arbor car ferry. At one time Peshtigo was its chief terminal and the machine shops were located there. The Peshtigo spur was abandoned about 1920.

Marsch disposed of the rolling stock when the road was abandoned in 1938, and most of the track-ware was sold for scrap. The property owned in Menominee, near the Milwaukee Road's depot, was later sold to the Milwaukee Road.

Marsch is a special consul of the Duchy of Luxembourg in the Middle West and plans to visit Europe this fall. In the meantime, he's busy getting a couple of his horses ready for the running of the Kentucky Derby on June 9. Immensely wealthy, he's going to

Over Million Trees Will Be Planted

Lansing—The conservation department has shipped a total of 1,305,774 young pine and hardwood trees in recent weeks for plantings in municipal and school forests, as farm windbreaks, and for other approved purposes.

Shipments were considerably larger than the 1,112,978 trees shipped in 1944. The department's forestry division supplied 228,170 hardwoods and 1,077,604 white, red and jack pines.

In pre-glacial times the Mississippi river was 100 to 200 feet below the present river bed.

retire and spend his days in the "sport of the kings" and practice a little diplomacy. He has an estate in Luxembourg.

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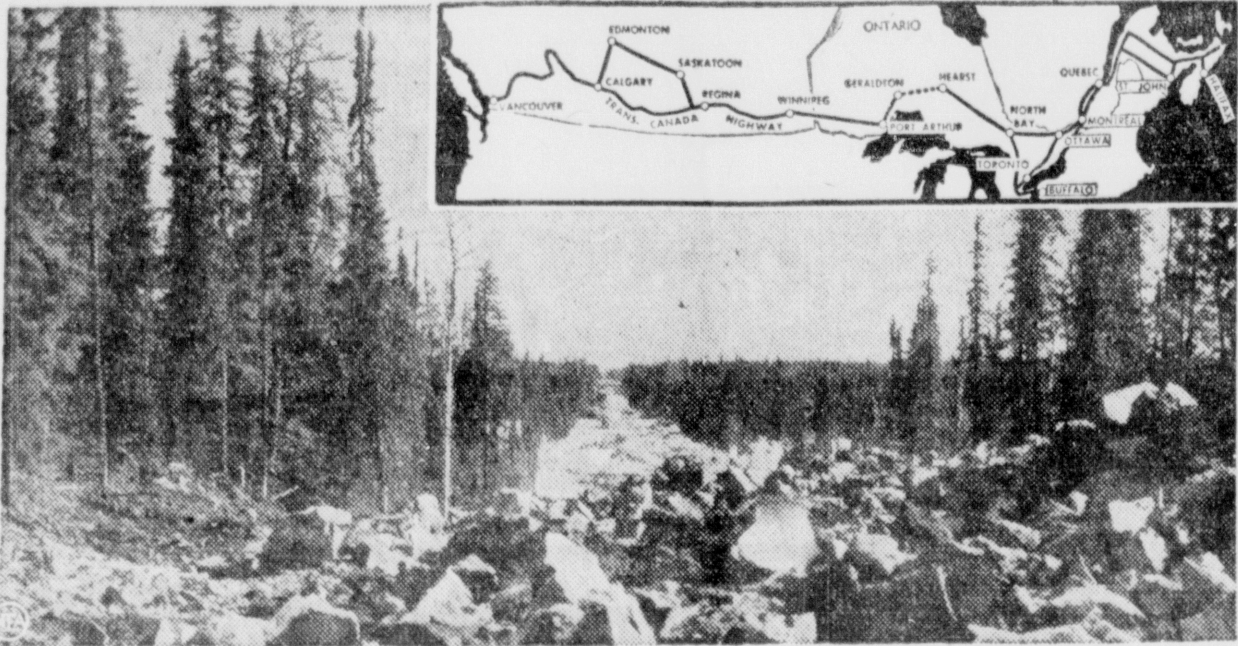
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New Road Spans Canada To Open Up 'Treasure Chest' Of Mineral Wealth



Cut through rock, virgin forests and deep muskeg, the trans-Canada Highway provides a traffic artery through 300,000 square miles of undeveloped area. Postwar improvements are expected to provide a new basis for Canadian prosperity.

BY ROSELLEN CALLAHAN
NEA Staff Writer
Ottawa—A 153-mile stretch of road, cut through the wilderness of northern Ontario, has forged the final link in the 4244-mile-long Trans-Canada highway, and opened up a 300,000 square mile "Treasure Chest" which is expected to play a vital part in Canada's post-war prosperity.

The "road to nowhere"—as it was dubbed by those opposing the building program of former Minister of Highways Thomas B. McQueen—connects the northern frontier cities of Hearst and Geraldton.

It has made accessible an incalculable wealth of precious and industrial metals, millions of acres of rich lands, miles on end of hard and soft wood forest and fast-flowing waters to provide power.

Rushed to Completion
Completion of the highway was pushed through, despite wartime manpower shortages and diversions of material, so that these resources would be available for immediate postwar conversion into vital needed home-front products.

Thus, says McQueen, Canadian labor and industry will be able to maintain the important economic gains they have made during the war.

The new territory opens up a postwar paradise to sportsmen, too. The country is laced with thousands of lakes and streams loaded with game fish that have never been a fisherman's lure. The forests are alive with game.

Trans-Canada was started more than 30 years ago. This last link—cut through outcropping rock, virgin forests, deep muskeg and in temperatures which often dropped to 50 below zero—took two years to finish.

In building the highway over miles of muskeg flats, engineers developed a method of laying foundation which later was used successfully on the Alaskan Highway. When crossing muskeg, foundation and fill were laid on top of the soft ground. Previously placed drainage charges were then exploded, which blew the soft mud out from under the foundation and allowed the complete road to settle into place on a firm bottom.

Though some sparse traffic is

Germans Shed No Tears Over The Fate Of Hitler

BY CURT REISS
(Copy, 1945, NEA Service Inc.)
Somewhere in Germany—Almost all Germans today are more interested in what becomes of Hitler than in what became of Hitler. Whatever the future role of Hitler in German history or his influence in shaping Germany, the man who for 13 years dominated German life in every respect is today inconsequential.

That is my conclusion after studying the German reaction during a journey undertaken a few hours after Hitler's death was officially announced over the radio. I traveled to Munich, Dachau, Augsburg and several smaller towns between Munich and Innsbruck. What I found was mainly disappointing.

Took It In Stride
The people took the news in their stride, with no exhibition of joy or grief. I got up at dawn, when most Germans are already in the street, since the curfew drives them home early at night. I walked past little groups and listened to their conversation. This was not difficult, since the people generally don't believe that American correspondents in uniform understand German. Nobody was talking about Hitler. Everyone seemed interested in usual household items.

Finally, I broached the subject to a few bystanders. Some expressed mild satisfaction, saying that now the war was over and everybody could return home. A very few, particularly elderly women, expressed some satisfaction.

"Thank God the swine is dead," one of them said. "He should have been dead long ago."

But who knows how sincere her statement was, or whether it

traveling over the new highway, Trans-Canada won't be officially dedicated until after the war.

was made simply for the benefit of Americans?

Many Germans told me, to my amazement, that they had known for three days that Hitler was dead. I asked how they knew. They invariably answered that they had "heard it."

It became clear upon investigation that none of the Germans had any means of knowing anything, for no newspapers exist in occupied Germany and use of the radio is forbidden. Nevertheless, rumors of Hitler's death were spread three days before its official announcement in five different towns where I checked.

The most interesting reaction I found between Munich and the front, where suddenly I encountered two German generals in full uniform and one colonel, taken prisoners by some GI of the 42nd Rainbow Division. These officers explained to me that as soon as they had learned of the death of Hitler they decided to surrender because "We haven't sworn loyalty to Doenitz."

Itching To Surrender
My strong impression about these impeccably dressed officers, who, incidentally, were just as painfully subservient as any German peasant, was that they were itching to surrender in any case.

Talking to liberated prisoners of Camp Dachau about the Fuehrer's death, I listened to exclamations of regret that he had died so easily and thus escaped what they considered his deserved punishment. Outside the camp I saw how this punishment might have looked. About 50 inmates of Dachau were beating up two SS guards, who had tried to escape. They beat them until they were dead, and left them lying for hours in the grass—one pulpy mass.

The German intelligentsia, such as doctors and professors to whom I talked, seems skeptical. They believe that Hitler probably is safely hidden, and that the death was staged to save putting him in the humiliating position of admitting his defeat.

Some think that perhaps Hitler was murdered by Nazis who want to continue underground for the same reason. Hitler alive would be compromising to the movement, particularly if tried by the Allies, while Hitler dead will become a legend.

Victory Luncheon To Be Held Tuesday
Women of the Methodist Memorial church are sponsoring a Victory Luncheon Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the parlors of the church.

Guest speaker of the day will be Dr. Cora Simpson, medical missionary to China for the past 38 years. Only two months ago Dr. Simpson returned to the United States on furlough arrangement and she will remain here for 7 or 8 months before returning to the Orient.

Dr. Simpson began as a nurse in China even before there was such a word as nurse in the Chinese language. She later organized the Nurses' association in China which is being very helpful in relieving suffering in the current war.

The talk is open to the general public and will be given in the main sanctuary of the church following the luncheon.

Diseased Plants Taken Off Planes
Washington, (AP)—Foreign plant quarantine offices of the U. S. government inspected 22 thousand airplanes from foreign countries last year, and found about one in seven carrying prohibited plant material, often infected or diseased, which were seized.

The number of foreign planes admitted at ports of entry last year was 65 per cent higher than those admitted in 1943.

ON THE RIGHT TRACK
Cranlarich, Scotland, (AP)—There were no fireworks in this little western Scotland town of 250 with which to celebrate V-E Day, so workers ran a freight train up and down the single-track railroad and exploded old fog signals.

Sunnyside School
Scholastic—
Kindergarten—Antonette Bugay, Betty Johnson, Joan Barr,

Perfect attendance—
Ernest Krause Jr., Joann Gustafson, David Kwarciany, Luanne Krause, Betty Lessard, Lynn Bergman, Martha Kwarciany, John LeVesque, Alice Louise Terens, and Julianne Erickson, Theresa Lessard.

Honor roll based on all B or better grades.

May honor roll.
Scholastic—
Kindergarten—Antonette Bugay, Betty Johnson, Joan Barr,

TOM BOLGER
MANAGER

City Briefs

Miss Teresa DeMay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Felix DeMay, city, submitted to an operation for relief from appendicitis Thursday at St. Francis hospital.

William Moreau of Perkins, who operates the BayNoc Insurance Agency, city, will enter St. Francis hospital today for treatment.

Edward Ingebrigtsen of the U. S. Merchant Marine, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ingebrigtsen, for the past 30 days, left Thursday morning for New York City to report for sea duty. He has been in the South-west Pacific for the past year and this is his first leave in that length of time. Enroute he will visit his brother, who is stationed at Piney Point, North Carolina.

Miss Irene LeGault and guests, Miss Maribelle Ehley and Miss Catherine Olson, all of Milwaukee, are spending the week-end visiting at the home of Miss LeGault's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred LeGault, 1415 Wisconsin avenue.

Lt. Roy Sprague arrived Friday evening from Fort Pierce, Fla., on a delay enroute, for a short visit with his wife and children, who are residing with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Laidlaw. Lt. Sprague will report to San Francisco for sea duty at the end of his leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Laidlaw arrived Friday evening from Indianapolis to spend the week-end at the home of Mr. Laidlaw's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Laidlaw.

Bark River

Bark River.—The honor roll for May of the Bark River school follows:

Scholastic—
Kindergarten—Peter Derocher, Barbara Hursfall, Ernest Krause, Jr. Roger Noblet Richard Rheume, Thomas Swift Jr.

First grade—George Bruce, James Kasbohm.

Second grade—Catherine Bergman, Evelyn Bergstrom, Joann Gustafson.

Third grade—Eleanor Derocher, Mary Alice Heim, Robert Johnson, Joann Kleiman, Donald McInnis.

Fourth grade—Mary Ann Bergman, Richard Douglas, Evelyn Erickson, Luanne Krause, Betty Lessard, Gaynell McInnis, Robert Nelson.

Fifth grade—Lynn Bergman, Robert Grzyb, Kenneth Heim, Martha Kwarciany, Patsy Swift, Robert Wickstrom.

Sixth grade—Betty McNaughton, Rita Rheume.

Seventh grade—Janis Bergman, Patrick Bergman, Joanne Iverson, Elizabeth Noblet, Alice Louise Terens.

Eighth grade—Warner Peltier, Walton Peterson.

Ninth grade—Julianne Erickson, Robert Erickson.

Tenth grade—Rose Mary Derocher.

Perfect attendance—
Ernest Krause Jr., Thomas Swift Jr., Frank Dubord, Joann Gustafson, Eleanor Derocher, Joanne Kleiman, Louis Dubord, Peter Kasbohm, William Kasbohm, Kenneth Olson.

Nancy Erickson, David Kwarciany, Luanne Krause, Betty Lessard, Gaynell McInnis, Richard Peltier, Lynn Bergman, Jack Erickson, Robert Grzyb, Martha Kwarciany, John LeVesque, Patsy Swift, Robert Wickstrom.

Lois Gustafson, Betty Meyers, Rita Rheume, Louis Wangles, Patrick Bergman, Shirley Bruce, Leonard Erickson, Joanne Iverson, LeRoy Johnson, Alice Ann Niquette, Elizabeth Noblet, Elva Peterson, Flora Nelson, Alice Louise Terens.

Rose Marie Fahey, Richard Gaudrault, Jerome Gonsheski, William Nelson, Kenneth Palmgren, Walton Peterson, Beverly Julianne, and Robert Erickson, Loyal Hanson, Theresa Lessard, Joyce Bruce.

Honor roll for 1944-45 Bark River school.

Scholastic—
Kindergarten—Peter Derocher, Barbara Hursfall, Ernest Krause, Jr. Roger Noblet Richard Rheume, Thomas Swift Jr.

First grade—George Bruce, James Kasbohm.

Second grade—Catherine Bergman, Evelyn Bergstrom.

Third grade—Eleanor Derocher, Mary Alice Heim, Robert Johnson, Joann Kleiman, Donald McInnis.

Fourth grade—Mary Ann Bergman, Richard Douglas, Evelyn Erickson, Luanne Krause, Betty Lessard, Lynn Bergman, Martha Kwarciany, John LeVesque, Alice Louise Terens, and Julianne Erickson, Theresa Lessard.

Fifth grade—Lynn Bergman, Robert Grzyb, Kenneth Heim, Martha Kwarciany, Patsy Swift.

Sixth grade—Betty McNaughton, Rita Rheume.

Seventh grade—Janis Bergman, Patrick Bergman, Joanne Iverson, Elizabeth Noblet, Alice Louise Terens, and Julianne Erickson, Theresa Lessard.

Honor roll based on all B or better grades.

May honor roll.
Scholastic—
Kindergarten—Antonette Bugay, Betty Johnson, Joan Barr,

GLADSTONE

PVT. McNAMARA WITH OWN ARMY

Gladstone Boy Writes To Mother That He Has Been Freed

Pvt. Henry A. McNamara, who has been incarcerated in a prison camp in Germany, has been freed, according to a V-mail letter received by his mother, Mrs. Donna McNamara, Route 1, Gladstone.

The letter:

"Just a few lines to let you know that I am well and a free soldier and in American hands again. We are held up for a while till we can get transportation out of here, then we will be on our way home. Don't just know how long of a leave we will get yet so please let me know if you are alive. I haven't heard from you since I have been captured and don't think that I haven't been one worried boy. So don't worry. Hoping to see you all in another month or more."

"Your loving son,"
"Albert."

"With loads of love, kisses and hoping you are well and happy. Will telegraph you as soon as I get located back there."

Pvt. McNamara was captured in France last September 9, and while his mother and sister here wrote him regularly and sent packages his recent letter indicates that he never received any of the letters or packages.

They received letters from the young man until three months ago.

CLAIR D. COOK IS LIBERATED

Red Cross Sends Word To Mother Of Boy In Gladstone

Pvt. Clair D. Cook, city, who has been a German prisoner of war, was liberated from the prison camp in which he had been held, according to word received by the youth's mother, Mrs. Joseph Raiche, city, through the American Red Cross.

According to the information furnished by the Red Cross, Pvt. Cook was freed on May 14 from Stalag 4-B where he was held after being taken prisoner late in December. This was the seventh day after V-E day.

The message also stated that Cook had been returned to his own company. He was in Patton's Third army.

No word has been received from the War Department.

Uprooted Natives Harass Japanese

Melbourne (P)—Emaciated by sickness and starvation during their nomadic wanderings to escape the Japanese in the mountainous interior of Bougainville, refugee natives have died in scores during recent months.

Wherever the Japanese have occupied territory, gardens and villages have been destroyed by aerial attack or pillaged.

The disruption of native life is already having violent reactions against the Japanese. Bands of natives, with bush weapons and firearms seized or stolen from the Japanese, are harassing the enemy's flanks and outposts in a terrifying manner.

Jerome Johnson.
First grade—Violet Bolm, John Kashinski, Robert Madalinski.

Grade Two—Barbara Bugay, Lois Hennessey, Joanne Pearson, Marlene Plonick.

Grade Three—Nancy Bugay, Joseph Kashinski, Valerian Madalinski, John Pearson.

Grade four—Dolores Bugay, Arlen Johnson.

Grade Five—Ralph Bugay, LaVerne Sundquist.

Attendance—Violet Bolm, Barbara Bugay, Robert Bolm, Dolores Bugay, Robert Burnham, Jerome and Arlen Johnson, Marie and Mose Lanaville, Valerian and Daniel Madalinski, Marlene Plonick.

Sunnyside Semester Honor Roll Scholarship—
Kindergarten—Antonette Bugay, Jerome and Betty Johnson.

First grade—Violet Bolm, John Kashinski, Robert Madalinski.

Second grade—Barbara Bugay, Lois Hennessey, Joanne Pearson.

Third grade—Nancy Bugay, Joseph Kashinski, John Pearson.

Fourth grade—Dolores Bugay.

Fifth grade—Ralph Bugay.

Sixth grade—LaVerne Sundquist.

Attendance—Violet Bolm.

Briefly Told

Townsend Club—A regular meeting of the Gladstone Townsend club will be held Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the city hall council chambers.

Public Party—The Gladstone Golf club is sponsoring a public party Tuesday evening at the clubhouse on Days River. Games will be played beginning at 8 o'clock. All are invited.

Legion Meeting—A regular meeting of August Mattson Post, American Legion, will be held on Monday night at the Legion hall.

Job's Daughters—There will be a regular meeting of Job's Daughters, No. 7, at the Masonic hall at 7 o'clock tomorrow night.

WELFARE CLUB ELECTS STAFF

Mrs. Fitzpatrick Heads Body; Annual Meet Is Conducted

Mrs. Clyde Fitzpatrick was elected president of the Gladstone Child's Welfare club at the annual Child's Welfare luncheon held Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Rosenthal.

Mrs. John Norton Jr., is first vice president, Mrs. Wallace C. Cameron second vice president, Mrs. F. S. Patton secretary, Mrs. A. H. Kinmond treasurer, and Mrs. J. D. Staple contact member.

Forming the board of directors are Wallace C. Cameron chairman, William L. Marble, J. D. McDonald, James T. Jones, J. D. Staple, Dr. A. H. Miller, Mrs. J. P. Bushong, Mrs. J. T. Jones, Mrs. J. D. Staple, Dr. O. S. Hull, Mrs. G. R. Empson, Mrs. Clyde Fitzpatrick and Dr. F. J. Diamond.

Bridge winners were Mrs. E. H. Noblet, first and Mrs. Wallace C. Cameron, second.

The regular monthly business meeting and the annual meeting were conducted following the luncheon.

Outstanding activities of the club during the year were the furnishing of milk to various homes and the juvenile education program conducted through the contribution of children's books to the Gladstone public and school library through the Hancock Memorial Fund, annual reports revealed.

A total of 5,317 quarts of milk at a cost of \$584.87 were contributed by the club and a children's library of books which cost \$254.81 are in the local library and in circulation. Response to the Christmas seal sale was gratifying and the 1944 total reached \$335.25.

While a percentage goes to the state and national association, fifty per cent is retained locally for case-finding, X-rays, transportation of patients to and from Powers and for educational supplies.

The club will enter upon its 30th year in 1946 and it has been active every year.

The committee for the luncheon which marked the final meeting before the summer vacation was composed of Mrs. John Card, chairman, assisted by the Misses John Norton Jr., Gale Westcott, E. C. Olson, Henry Cassidy, James Hetrick, James Mitchell, F. S. Patton, G. E. Dehlin, F. A. Miller and Margaret Jackson and Miss Ethel Empson.

Social

Birthday Party

Floyd Dabney, son of Pfc. and Mrs. Donald Dabney, entertained a group of little friends on Friday afternoon at his home, 1521 Minnesota avenue, in honor of his seventh birthday anniversary.

The afternoon was spent in playing various games, followed by the serving of lunch. A prettily decorated cake, iced in white, with pink roses, centered the serving table. The honored guest received many gifts.

Those in attendance at the party were Kallea Michelson, Celeste Dimock, Paul, Lois and Ruth LeDuc, Dickie and Marilyn Peterson, and Karen Ann Rabitoy.

WANTED

Persons to join the Townsend Club of Gladstone. All Old Age Recipients should join and get the assistance offered by the Townsend organization in the full granting of state Old Age Disbursements.

Watch for dates of meetings in Gladstone Briefly Told column.

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LT. THOMPSON GETS FREEDOM

Russians Freed Airman Red Cross Advises Wife Here

Lt. John Thompson of the 8th Army Air Force, who was taken prisoner December 24, 1944, was among the Allied prisoners liberated by Russian forces when they took the area in which the prison camp was located, Mrs. Thompson, his wife, who resides at 1320 Lake Shore Drive, city, learned yesterday.

Word that her husband had been freed came through the American Red Cross.

Lt. Thompson, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Thompson and a brother of T. W. Thompson, city, had been piloting a B-24 with American Air Forces.

He was listed as missing in action after failing to return from a mission over Germany December 24.

On February 28 of this year a German propaganda broadcast disclosed he was a prisoner and on March 9 confirmation of this came from the War Department.

Cub Pack Meeting Full of Interest

An interesting Cub Pack meeting was held Friday night at the parlors of the Methodist church with Cubmaster George Strong in charge and assisted by Don Mothers Mmes. W. W. Wixom, Martin Becker, Dudley Ensign and Agnes Carlson.

During the meeting Johnnie Snouwaert received the bobcat award, Jimmie Mackie the bronze wolf award, Jim Peoples the bronze bear award with gold arrow, Eugene Merrill and Harry Rajala the bronze lion award, one of the highest awards in cubbing.

Eugene Merrill, who had become 12 and eligible to become a Boy Scout was presented by Don Chief Eugene Holm to Scoutmaster LeRoy Hamilton and was accepted into Troop 467. LeRoy Jacobson was presented by Chief Denner Daryl Tang to Scoutmaster Mason Meyer of Troop 456 and was accepted. Both received their tenderfoot badges.

Games were played before the meeting opened. "America" was sung by the group at the start of the gathering and the pledge of allegiance to the flag brought the meeting to a close.

All boys 9 to 12 years of age are eligible to join the Cubs and those interested may contact Trooper George Strong at the Michigan state police post.

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NOTE, MONDAY—Shown at 6:45 & 10:00 p. m.

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George MURPHY Gloria DeHAVEN Adolphe MENJOU
Walter SLEZAK Eugene PALLETT

NOTE, TODAY—Shown at 12:00-3:00-6:00 & 9:00 p. m.

NOTE, MONDAY—Shown at 8:25 p. m. ONLY

ADDED—RIATO THEATRE CURRENT NEWS EVENTS



BRITAIN'S NO. 1 OBJECTIVE—Recovery of the great naval base at Singapore, "impregnable" until the Japs quickly overwhelmed it by surprise from the rear, is the main objective of British operations in southeast Asia. From map above, it can be seen that recapture of Burma opens possibilities of overland assaults from there, coordinated with amphibious landings on the west coast of the Malay peninsula. (NEA Photo.)



KNEE-DEEP IN MURDER — In horrid solitude, the commandant of the German concentration camp at Landsberg stands amid the murdered dead—the manner of whose dying binds an everlasting shame upon the name "German." (NEA Photo.)

American Genius Turned Disaster Into Victory

BY THOMAS M. JOHNSON
NEA Military Writer

Washington.—As the paper snowflakes of V-E Day melt, we can look back upon this very great victory in humble gratitude, yet with special pride. For in a unique sense, it is a victory of American genius.

That does not mean that "we won the war." No one nation did—for all did. And such boasts would confute that genius for co-operation with our Allies, generous yet realistic, that underlay all our successful strategy. That strategy was to weaken and defeat Germany first by supporting Russia, while strengthening ourselves for later decisive blows.

We admired Russia's bravery and sympathized in her losses—perhaps 15 million combatants and civilians. And realistically, we recognized hers as the only army that in 1942 and 1943 was a major obstacle to the Wehrmacht's superiority in equipment and skill.

So we pushed our air power to aid Russia against the Luftwaffe. Our industrial power supplied her not only with 13,000 planes but with nearly 500,000 tanks and motor vehicles. These were indispensable to her ground offensives, which were increasingly successful until they culminated last January in the victories that so greatly helped to make May 7 possible.

Weakened Westwall

Not only did the Russians force Germany's eastern marches, but they drew off from us German divisions whose departure left too many chinks in the West wall.

The Siegfried Line crumbled before the reinforced strength we and Britain had built up originally in our great British outpost-bridgehead.

Britain had held that bridgehead not only with air and sea power, but also with a lonely courage that evoked our admiring aid. And again our help paid off. It would have been disastrous for us if Britain's 8th Army had not prevented a Nazi-Jap link-up by saving the Suez crossroads—with critical American-made supplies.

Thus began in North Africa the British-American out-blitzing of the Nazi originators of the blitzkrieg—largely through American genius for organization and mechanical production. The trickle of lend-lease became the flood-tide of victory.

In aviation, notably, the American genius for organization—heavy bombers, bombights, tactics—gave us leadership in that new, requisite realm which the Nazis had claimed as theirs. There, the facts confirm and Rundstedt admitted, we snatched triumph from disaster. Our bombing hamstrung German troop movements after D-Day.

Hit V-Bomb Plants

Our air raids postponed production of V-weapons intended to prevent D-Day ever dawning, and then whittled them down. At the last, our bombing cut production of oil and gasoline to 74 percent of Luftwaffe needs. Without all the other damage to industry and railroads, that alone could have been decisive.

Not only in the new air generalship does American genius for competition show. While land-sea strategy and tactics in the Mediterranean were largely British, in the north they were largely American. In teamwork, British doggedness and thoroughness were indispensable, but our daring imagination largely "sold" Churchill D-Day as a practical possibility.

Our aggressive punch won key victories: Cherbourg, St. Lo, Aachen and finally the Remagen bridgehead. Eisenhower's instant

follow-through on his own initiative solved the Ruhr problem quickly and cheaply, causing the Nazis to lose that indispensable region in the biggest battle of encirclement in history.

In the final victory, there is glory enough for all. Still, we have shown that the American genius is peculiarly adapted to modern war with its mechanization, manufacturing, movement maneuvers. That genius has created an unprecedented, invincible might on air, sea and land, and directed it well. It has been the ever deciding factor in bringing victory against Axis terror and tyranny in half the world sooner than seemed possible.

Garden

High School News

Garden—Students held the annual picnic at Indian Lake Friday. Graduation exercises will be held at the Rex Theatre Wednesday night, May 23rd.

Graduates will be guests of the Peninsula Lions Thursday evening.

Exams Schedule

Final examinations will be held at the high school as follows: Tuesday afternoon, May 22, Biology and English 8. Wednesday morning, Algebra 1 English VI, literature. Wednesday afternoon, Commercial law, Community Civics, Science.

Thursday morning, Stenography I Business English, Agriculture, Arithmetic. Thursday afternoon, American History, U. S. History. Friday morning, Physics, English II.

Birthday Party

Mrs. Anna Gray was honored by several friends and relatives at her home Tuesday when two tables of 500 were in play. Those participating being Mrs. William Wenter, Mrs. Paul Lamkey, Mrs. Alex McLeod, Mrs. Mary Pardee, Mrs. Fred Olmsted and Mrs. Herbert Sill of Van's Harbor, Mrs. Elmer Bonifas and Mrs. Nick Thimmes. Prizes given for each table were awarded to Mrs. Wenter and Mrs. Bonifas. Lunch was served and Mrs. Gray received a gift.

C. Y. O. Picnic

Fr. Sterbenz accompanied the members of the local C. Y. O. to Little Harbor after school hours Tuesday and they enjoyed a picnic supper out of doors.

Guides

Members met with Mrs. John Wrenge of Kate's Bay Wednesday afternoon. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Nora Lester on Thursday, May 31 as Memorial Day falls on the regular date to meet.

Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schrapf of Chicago arrived here Tuesday to make an indefinite stay at their Kate's Bay residence. Their household goods were brought by motor van the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Farley left Saturday for Muskegon to visit their daughter Mary Ellen who has enlisted in the WAC. She will enter service immediately now that the school where she has been teaching has closed for the summer vacation.

Dianne, daughter of Mrs. Robert Lester, has been ill the past week.

Mrs. Ossie Hazen took her youngest daughter, Carol Jean, to Escanaba Thursday for removal of tonsils. Miss Muriel Gauthier, R. N. accompanied them to take

Press Q&A Service

YOUR INFORMATION SERVICE

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Q. My husband is in the U. S. Army overseas. I expect a baby in August. Who will help me apply for the allowance for the baby?

A. The nearest Red Cross chapter has application forms. A copy of the baby's birth record must be submitted with your application.

Q. I am a discharged soldier of this war. Can I get a commissary card to trade at a camp commissary?

A. Commissary privilege is provided for discharged veterans only when they are receiving medical treatment and are actually living and sleeping in a Veterans Administration Facility or hospital in an in-patient status.

Q. I was released from the Army in May 1943 into the Enlisted Reserve Corps. I have now received an honorable discharge from the army. Am I entitled to mustering-out pay?

A. Men released to the Enlisted Reserve Corps upon their request to accept employment, do not receive mustering-out pay unless they have served overseas.

Q. What descent is President Truman?

A. He is descended from English and Scotch racial stock, although his ancestors have resided in this country for several generations. Truman's parents came to Missouri from Kentucky, where the family had lived for years.

Q. How far can an aviator see under favorable conditions at a height of 10,000 ft.

A. About 123 miles.

Q. How much will the Missouri Valley authority plan cost?

A. The total cost is estimated at \$1,326,750,000 of which \$741,000,000 would be returned or repaid from power, irrigation, and water systems. The total benefits are valued at \$168,000,000 annually. The annual cost would be \$65,000,000 including \$49,000,000 for amortization over 50 years at 3 per cent.

Q. Do you have a recipe for smoking fish?

A. This information is too long to give in this column, but the directions for smoking fish and dozens of recipes for cooking and serving all kinds of seafood are given in a 24-page booklet, "Seafood Cook Book," which may be obtained from the Washington Service Bureau, 1217 13th St., N. W., Washington 5, D. C., for 10 cents.

Q. What is the name of the blood disease in which the blood fails to clot after a wound?

A. Hemophilia. It affects only males and is transmitted only by the female line.

Mexico has 28 states, two territories and the federal district (Mexico City and 11 surrounding villages). 1912.

care of the patient.

The pump by which the Catholic church has been repaired after being out of use for ten days.

Robert Lester is doing remodeling work at the Alfred LaVallee home.

Mrs. Fred Gauthier, son Eugene S. 1 1/2, Mrs. Exilda Gauthier, Mrs. Herbert Foote and Miss Muriel Gauthier R. N. spent Wednesday in Escanaba.

Pre-School Clinic At Lincoln Has Been Postponed

Due to a conflict in dates requiring the presence of Dr. C. Lockwood, Alger Schoolcraft county health physician, elsewhere the Lincoln school clinic for children of pre-school age, set for Thursday, May 24, has been postponed to May 25.

On this date, from 9 o'clock in the morning and throughout the rest of the day, children who are to enter school this fall may be brought to the school for a complete physical examination.

Children ranging in age from nine months to school age may also be brought for smallpox vaccination and diphtheria immunization.

The clinic at Lakeside school will be held as previously announced, on Tuesday, May 22.

Munising News

Long Illness Takes Mrs. Lucy Coburn, 71

Mrs. Lucy Coburn, 71, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Chamber, in Seney Friday afternoon after an illness of one year. She had been residing with her daughter for two months, having moved here from Greenup county, Ky., where she was born on Nov. 6, 1873. Mrs. Coburn is survived by four sons: Lonnie, Pontiac; Charles, Greenup county; Leonard, Ashland, Ky.; and John, Russell, Ky.; three daughters, Mrs. Clara Richardson, Wall Lake, Mich.; Mrs. Sally Chamber, Seney, Mich.; Mrs. Ora Steadham, Wall Lake, Mich.; Mrs. Margaret Fasser, Seattle, Wash.; two brothers, Charles Martin, Au Train, and Thomas Martin, of Argellite, Ky.; one sister, Mrs. Martha Keeton of Flatwood, Ky.; several grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

The body was removed to the Beaulieu funeral home and will be shipped to Ashland, Ky.

Mrs. Coburn was a member of the Pilgrim Holiness church.

MUNISING BRIEFS

Lt. Dorothy Colburn of Evanston, Ill., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bolburn for a few days.

Mrs. Charles Reick has returned home from St. Luke's hospital, Marquette, where she had been a patient for the past week.

William Douglas, ARM 3/C, stationed near Detroit, spent the week-end here with his parents and friends.

A farewell party in honor of Arnold LaCombe, who is leaving to be inducted into the armed forces Monday, was held Friday evening at the Brown Derby.

Mrs. John B. Revord spent Friday visiting in Ishpeming at the home of her niece, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. George Flatley is a patient in St. Luke's hospital, Marquette.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Symons and daughter, Mrs. John Anderson, have returned home from a three weeks' trip visiting relatives in Lansing and Kinnos, Ontario, Canada.

COMMUNICATION

The following ordinance was made official Saturday by Mayor Lowell M. Gibson, warning dog owners of the city that they must comply with the present existing dog ordinance now in effect.

The City of Munising Ordains: It shall be unlawful for any person, except the owner or authorized agent to remove any license tag from a dog; or for any owner to allow any dog to stray beyond his premises unless the said dog shall be confined upon a leash and under the immediate control of some responsible person.

On or before the first day of March of each year hereafter the owner of any dog four months old or over shall file in writing to the city clerk for a license for each dog owned or kept by him. Such application shall state the breed, sex, age, color and markings of such dog, and the name and address of the last previous owner. At the time of making said application the owner shall pay the following annual fee: One dollar for each male dog and two dollars for each female dog.

It shall be the duty of every police officer to impound and keep for three days any dog or dogs which are found running at large and unaccompanied by owner or keeper in accordance with Article 1 or any unlicensed dog over four months (4) found within the city, at the end of which time such dog shall be disposed of unless the owner of same shall claim the dog and pay the impounding costs or fine and costs assessed. The owner of any dog which causes damage to any person or to any personal property of any person shall be liable in a nation at law by such person, whether such owner had knowledge of the vicious propensities of such dog or not.

Any person convicted of violating any of the provisions of Articles I or II of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars and costs of prosecution, which costs of prosecution shall include the sum of two dollars for impounding and keeping such dog, or in default of paying such fine, by imprisonment in the county jail of Alger county for not to exceed ten days.

This ordinance will be strictly enforced it was pointed out by Po-

MANISTIQUE

FIRE HAZARD VERY SERIOUS

Forest Fire Threat Is Worst In Months Says Ranger

Fishermen, campers and people frequenting our wooded areas at present are asked to be careful about disposing of their cigarette stubs and putting out camp fires. H. O. Nixon, local forest ranger, states that the threat of forest fires is the most serious at present that it has been all spring.

The ranger's office employs what is termed a "danger gauge" in charting the fire threat in any area, rating the danger on a percentage basis. Any rating over fifty per cent is regarded as very serious.

The scale of expectancy for this area varied from 57 in the Rapid River area to 48 in the immediate vicinity of Manistique, Ranger Nixon states.

City Briefs

Out-of-town relatives who attended the funeral of B. A. Zucca Saturday were: Mrs. Leon Laurion and son, Robert, International Falls; Mr. and Mrs. John Harris, Milwaukee; John Zucca, Bellingham, Wash.; Bert Zucca and Mrs. William Heyne, St. Paul; Vic Zucca, Great Lakes; and Peter Pesorson, Crosby, Minn.

Jack Martin, Yeoman, is leaving this evening for Chicago after spending the week-end here with his mother, Mrs. E. Martin, Deer street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bishop of Rockford, Ill., are the parents of a daughter born April 27. Mrs. Bishop is the former Ruth Hulshof of this city.

Ralph Ekstrom, yeoman second class, has arrived here on leave from the Atlantic theater where he spent the past several months on convoy duty.

Mrs. William Morden is visiting in Rockford, Ill., with her sister, Mrs. Ralph Bishop.

OPA To Conduct Meeting For Local Garage Owners

In an effort to acquaint garage owners with new regulations affecting car repair jobs, the Office of Price Administration is conducting a series of meetings throughout the Upper Peninsula. One of these meetings will be held at the court room in the Schoolcraft county court house in Manistique on Friday, May 25, at 2:30 p. m.

These new regulations come under the head of Supplementary Service Regulation 49 and will be effective on June 14. This government directive fixes the maximum number of hours which may be charged on 56 different repair jobs, affecting 21 different makes of cars.

Briefly Told

Presbyterian Women's Society—The Presbyterian Women's society will meet Wednesday afternoon in the church parlors. Mrs. A. F. Hall will be the devotional leader. Hostesses are Mrs. V. P. Deemer and Mrs. Fred Hahne.

Card Party—The Thompson PTA will hold a card party and games this evening at the school. Lunch will be served.

W. S. of C. S.—The W. S. of C. S. of the Methodist church will meet Thursday instead of Wednesday, due to the lecture of Cora Simpson in the church parlors. Public is invited. Lunch will be served.

John W. Bricker was the first Republican ever elected to three consecutive terms as Governor of Ohio.

Bamboo, a hollow-stemmed plant, has been known to expand 16 inches in circumference in a day.

lice Chief Frank Chase with the advent of garden season and home owners who have lawns and shrubbery.

The date for purchasing dog tags has been extended until June 1, 1945, and after that date all dogs picked up will be held for three days and then disposed of as in accordance with the ordinance.

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Off The Chest ...

BY JAY ARRELL

A local member of the state police has suggested to us that we use this column to protest against the all too prevalent practice of using men in uniform as bogey men to scare little children into being good. This particular officer is fond of children and it hurts him to see little ones scurry in terror when he approaches.

"A lot of people find it an easy matter of discipline to tell their little ones 'if you aren't good, I'll just call the policeman and he'll take you off to jail,'" he said. Then he added, "I call that shabby treatment for the men of our profession and a cruel way to treat a child."

He cited a case where it had been his duty to assist a child who had been hurt in a motor accident. The little one, a girl of five or six years, screamed in terror when she saw him approach. She didn't want the "policeman" to "arrest" her. He had to run after her and catch her before he could take her where she would receive first aid treatment. It was later discovered that she had a broken arm.

If that child hadn't been foolishly deceived by her parents, she would have trusted this man and recognized him as her friend just as much as she did the doctor who treated her later on.

It is not the purpose of this column to tell people how to bring up their children, but we agree with the officer that people who deceive them this way are not doing right by them. Policemen are hired to protect people—with emphasis on children—and children should be taught to look upon them as friends whom they may trust implicitly and call upon whenever danger threatens.

Do you get the jitters when some youthful visitor in your home takes a fancy to something you'd rather he wouldn't touch? We saw a woman meet that emergency the other day so neatly that we couldn't help but marvel that so few people resort to her expedient. Instead of telling the youngster "No! No! Mustn't touch!" she merely shook her head and said, "That's Jim's."

"That's Jim's," the little fellow repeated, putting his hands in back of him, and not once during the afternoon did he go near that trinket, although it was something which couldn't help but fascinate a boy of three.

We doubt that he had more than the slightest idea as to who "Jim" might be, but he knew that "Jim" would not take kindly to any disturbance of his property.

Don't tell us that children haven't any sense of property rights. They have. It is largely a matter of approach, however, that brings this virtue out into the open. This lady tells us that she has put scores of youngsters—some with reputations as "holly terrorists"—and has never yet seen the idea fail.

Vanity has been the theme for many a hell-fire sermon and certainly the examples of the folly of this weakness are so numerous that any of us can name a list of horrible examples. But the other day, we came upon a bit of vanity that, to say the least, was positively becoming. No movie star ever tripped along more daintily or with better poise than did that little lady of eight, all dressed up in her Sunday best on her way to Sunday school. "Good morning," we said. She returned our greeting with a radiant smile, gave her head a little shake and added: "How'd you like my new hair-do?" Somebody had been to the hair dressers.

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PROMOTE GIRL SCOUT CAMP

Sponsors Want Local Girl Scouts To Attend Outing

Sponsors of the Girl Scout movement in Manistique are seeking to create greater interest in the recreational facilities at the disposal of Girl Scouts in Manistique at Timber Trail, the official Girl Scout camp, located half way between Wetmore and Nahma Junction on the new county highway.

This camp, which is sponsored by Girl Scout organizations in Manistique, Marquette, Munising, Ishpeming and Negaunee, has facilities for accommodating 65 Girl Scouts along with their staffs and, under the competent and qualified management secured, is in a position to provide an outing for girls fully in keeping with strictest requirements of the organization.

At Camp Timber Trail, the whole program is based on how to live and care for oneself in the open and how to love and appreciate the out of doors.

The campers, girls from 10 to 18 years of age, live in tents and Adirondack shacks and enjoy under competent supervision pioneer camping, sleep outs, swimming, rowing, canoeing, games and music.

A registered nurse is a member of the camp staff and a doctor is on call. Drinking water and swimming water are tested regularly. All water front activities are carried on under the close supervision of competent Red Cross life savers. This assures every precaution for the health and safety of the campers.

For Girl Scouts from the sponsoring communities, a fee of \$10 per week is charged. A registration fee of \$2 must accompany the registration.

Members of the local Girl Scout committee sponsoring the Timber Trail camp are Mrs. C. S. Slining and Mrs. Kenneth Van Eyck, who would be glad to supply those interested with further information.

Social

Maurice's Party

Maurice Creger, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Creger, entertained a number of friends Friday afternoon at his home on Oak street, the occasion being his ninth birthday anniversary.

Games were played during the afternoon after which a delicious birthday lunch was served from a table decorated in the patriotic motif. Small flags encircled the table. A miniature army and a large cake topped with a candy marine was the table centerpiece. Each guest was presented with a flag, airplane, and a pencil containing his name as favors.

Maurice received many lovely gifts from the following friends: Allan Rich, Henning Erickson, Bobby Smith, Robert Bouschor, Robert Nelson, Keith and Kenneth Miller, Jackie and Jimmy Cowman, Glen Westin, and George Marks.

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Gladstone Ladies Present Swedish Program Here

Entertainment with a strictly Old World flavor has been booked for presentation at the Zion Lutheran church on the evening of Thursday, June 7.

The Bethany society of that congregation has made arrangements with a ladies' organization of the First Lutheran church in Gladstone to have them give a repeat performance of an all-Swedish program presented by them at Gladstone recently.

The program will consist of folk songs, a playlet and other entertainment presented entirely in Swedish. The program will be enhanced with a display of Swedish handicraft and the luncheon to follow will consist of pastry prepared Swedish style.

An interesting sidelight of this entertainment is brought out by the fact that some of the Gladstone ladies who will take part in the program are of nationalities other than Swedish. Among them are one Swiss, one Belgian, one German, one English, two Finnish and three Norwegians.

Memorial Mass Monday A. M. For Stan Paradise

A memorial mass will be conducted Monday morning at 8 o'clock at St. Francis de Sales Catholic church for Pfc. Stanley Paradise, son of Charles Paradise, who was killed in action in Germany during the closing days of the war in Europe. The Rev. Fr. B. J. P. Schevers will conduct the services. Ex-service men are requested to be present.

Pfc. John Lasich Convalescing In Texas Hospital

Pfc. John Lasich, 191 North Maple street, has just arrived at the army's Ashburn General hospital, McKinney, Texas, from overseas, according to word received from that Texas city late this week.

Before being returned to this country Pfc. Lasich served in France. He will be hospitalized at Ashburn General hospital, before being discharged. His wife, Mrs. Anna Lasich and his father, John Lasich, reside in this city.

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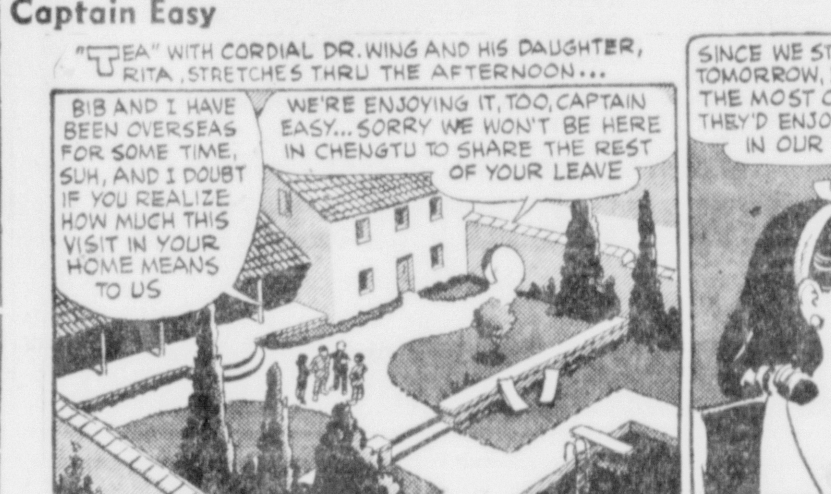
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S 1-C MCCARTHY WAR CASUALTY

Is Reported Missing Following Action In Pacific

Seaman 1/c William Raymond McCarthy, son of Mr. and Mrs. William McCarthy of 516 North 19th street, has been reported by the Navy department as missing in action in the Pacific, according to a telegram received Thursday by the parents.

The message read in part: "The Navy department deeply regrets to inform you that your son, William Raymond McCarthy, S 1/c U. S. N. R., is missing following action while in the service of his country. The department appreciates your great anxiety but details not now available and delay in receipt thereof must necessarily be expected."

The message was signed by Vice Admiral Randall Jacobs, chief of naval personnel.

Inducted March 4, 1944, S 1/c McCarthy left for overseas duty Dec. 27, 1944. He saw naval action at Saipan, in the Marianas, the Caroline Islands and at Iwo Jima. A letter from him, dated May 3, was received by his parents last week.

He is a graduate of Escanaba high school, Class of '44, although he was not here to attend graduation exercises. A letterman on the football, basketball and track teams, he played fullback position in football.

His boot training was received at Farragut, Idaho, and later he attended a radio training school at Treasure Island, Calif.

Need 1 Million Victory Gardens

It shouldn't be necessary to urge Michigan families to grow a garden again this year, but according to reports coming in from some communities the goal of one million better gardens established by State Victory Garden committee may not be reached, according to Paul R. Krone, Michigan State college specialist who is chief of the Victory Garden section of the Michigan Office of Civilian Defense.

Observations made in some areas indicate a lag, despite an exceptionally early and favorable spring. Reports from Detroit indicate that there will be a considerable increase particularly in industrial gardens, although the increase there may not be enough to offset outstate reductions.

The lack of enthusiasm was blamed on the belief that with the close of the European war less food would be required for the armed forces. This belief is entirely unfounded, according to Mr. Krone, who points out that the requirements would be greater due to the food needs of most of the reoccupied countries and even Germany itself, which cannot be overlooked. The War Food Administration has recognized this fact in requiring that 48 per cent of the 1945-46 pack of canned vegetables and vegetable juices and 61 per cent of commercially canned fruits and fruit juices be set aside for governmental use.

Estimated quantities of canned fruits and juices available for the civilian population this year will be only 22,700,000 cases as compared to 23,800,000 available from last year's pack. The supply of canned vegetables and juices will be only about 171,000,000 cases as compared to 187,000,000 cases from the 1944-45 pack. In the current pack year, civilian supplies of canned fruit are about half of pre-war totals with canned vegetables down more than one-third. According to W. F. A. reports there will not be enough of most commercially canned fruits and vegetables available to meet civilian demand in 1945 no matter when the war in Europe ends.

Due to shortages of other foods such as meat, poultry, butter, etc. the civilian population will have to turn to other foods—principally fruits and vegetables.

While home grown vegetables for use fresh during the summer



LIBERATED — Pfc. Ardvan Rushford, Rapid River, has notified his mother, Mrs. Ida Rushford, that he was liberated from the German prison camp and expects to return home in the near future. Pfc. Rushford was taken prisoner by the Germans in Italy last October.

28 Offenders In Local Bike Court

Twenty-eight Escanaba bicycle riders who have violated bike safety rules in the past week yesterday morning were arraigned in police bicycle court at city hall, conducted by Sgt. Phil Bruce.

All were under 17 years of age and first offenders. They were required to write 20 times the regulation which they had violated.

Sgt. Bruce also announced that in future all bike riders are forbidden to park their bicycles in the exit-way at the east side of the Delft theater. The exit must be kept cleared.

Plan First Memorial To Patrick Henry

Richmond, Va., (AP)—Acquisition of the last home of Patrick Henry by a memorial foundation gives the "Tongue of the Revolution" the first memorial in his native Virginia, where he was elected governor six times.

The 921-acre estate, purchased for \$62,500, will be restored and the Henry home, destroyed by fire, will be rebuilt by popular subscription.

More than 6,000,000 tons of sugar are consumed by Americans in a normal year, with 4,600,000 tons of this amount being imported.

are important, Mr. Krone urges the careful planning of home gardens to provide plenty for canning and preserving for use next winter.

WOLVERINES TO MEET TUESDAY

Sportsmen Greet New District Officers At Ski Park

Wolverine Conservation association members and other sportsmen will have an opportunity to meet the new district conservation officers at a meeting to be held at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening, May 22, at the Escanaba Ski Park lodge.

John Anguilim, former district supervisor at Sault Ste. Marie, and now supervisor of the expanded local district, and his assistant, Paul Challancin, formerly of Houghton, will be present at the meeting.

A number of committee reports and progress reports on the club action will be presented. The business meeting is expected to be short.

All sportsmen as well as members of the Wolverines are urged to attend. Light refreshments will be served following the meeting.

Approximately four centuries B. C., the territory later called the Low Countries was inhabited principally by three peoples: the Belgae, supposedly of Celtic origin; the Batavii and the Frisi ancestors of the Dutch.

Great Variety Of Rocks In Peninsula

BY FERN BERRY
Van Meer—Walking through the second growth maples on a part of the section here at Van Meer, I was impressed by the great variety of landscape and the different types of rock to be found. There is quite a bit of farming carried on here, too, but this part of the area, like many other parts of upper Michigan is "rocky". Walking through the woods we came upon huge rocks, high as my chin and with a smooth table like top.

These are most often of a granite with either whitish-grey or red coloring. Crevices are filled with plant growth and moss covers the lower part. A few smaller rocks of the same type are strewn close to the larger one—These are grown with woods ferns, adler tongue, boys and girls and yellow violets, and look like a well arranged rock garden. There will be not a sign of rock for rods and rods, and then you may come upon another huge one—much like the first. These rocks weigh tons and tons and their weathered backs have seen ages of time.

Along the little creek can be found the thin slabs of sandstone, and in places it looks like a cement bottom to the little stream. You can split these rocks where crevices appear and will find strange imprints of plant and insect life of long ago.

Yes, upper Michigan is a sturdy land. A land held together by a foundation of rock.

SEA LAMPREYS ARE SPAWNING

Conservation Dep't Is Netting Them At River Mouth

Lansing—Spring spawning run of sea lampreys up the Ocqueoc river from Lake Huron is expected to reach its peak this week, according to the conservation department.

A weir or trap again has been placed in the river in Presque Isle county and lampreys are removed at regular intervals. A total of 3,366 lampreys was trapped and destroyed in the 10 weeks the trap was operated last season.

Fishermen and fisheries authorities in other states bordering the Great Lakes are watching the Michigan experiment. A weir or trap operated in streams during spawning runs apparently provides the best means of destroying the lampreys which prey on fish after they reach the adult stage. Some lampreys attain a length of 24 to 26 inches.

The cost of weirs and wages of attendants could be large if this method of combating the lampreys should be applied in all Michigan streams frequented by them during spawning seasons. Also, no such method would be practicable during war years.

Meanwhile, department authorities are experimenting with weir construction and are checking reports of fishermen concerning reported increase in lampreys in Great Lakes waters.

There are 26,000,000 chickens on the farms of Illinois.

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Report Issued On Mineral Hills District By Geologists

A report on the Mineral Hills iron district in Iron county has been released by the U. S. Geological Survey, the work of C. E. Dutton, C. F. Park, Jr., and J. R. Balsley, Jr., geologists with the federal agency. The geological survey division of the state conservation department and local mining companies cooperated in the preparation of the report.

The report, which includes geological maps, sections, and

block diagrams accompanied by a brief text, describes the general character of the iron ore deposits and the geologic and structural conditions of the district. This information, which will provide a basis for further mine exploration and development, is released so that it may be of immediate use to the mine operators to help them speed up the production of iron ore needed for war purposes.

The geological survey division of the conservation department will supply copies of the report to those directly interested in the development of the Mineral Hills area, or they may be obtained from Survey Director W. E. Wrather of the Geological Survey, Washington.

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